

J. W. WATKINS ATTEMPTS SUICIDE

Well Known Madera Lumberman, Recently Removed to San Francisco, Seeks Death

DESPONDENCY THOUGHT TO HAVE CAUSED ACT

Judge Conley of Madera One of His Partners in Business—As Far as Known Finances Did Not Cause the Tragedy.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 23.—John W. Watkins, a well known lumberman formerly of Madera, attempted suicide by shooting today. The bullet lodged in his spine. The attempt at suicide was made in a fit of despondency. Watkins went to his office as usual today. His employees noticed nothing unusual in his conduct but shortly before noon he called his elder son, Walter, into his private office, and handed him a sum of money which was due him. Shortly afterward the shot was fired. J. E. Paddock, shipping clerk for the firm, and others, rushed into the room and found their employer sitting at his desk, with blood gushing from a wound near the heart. Little hope is expressed for Watkins' recovery. His son and employees say that Watkins' financial affairs are in good shape. Watkins lived for over twenty years in Madera. He is connected with the firm of Watkins & Thurman there, and his partner in the San Francisco planing mill is Judge Wm. Conley of that place. Watkins is a member of the Fresno Lodge of Odd Fellows.

REMARKABLE RUN OF FISH AT REDONDO

REDONDO, Oct. 23.—The most remarkable run of yellowtail ever known was experienced here today. Fully 4000 of these game fish, averaging about fifteen pounds apiece, were caught on pier No. 1 up to 10 o'clock tonight and were taken from other wharves, brought the total to about forty tons. Not less than thirty tons was carried away by amateur fishermen, many of whom had never before taken a yellowtail. News of the coming of the great school spread swiftly and sportsmen flocked in from all directions through the rain until every available spot was taken, and they pulled out fish as fast as they could bait the hooks. Business men closed their stores to participate in or watch the fun, which lasted all day without interruption, and promises to continue tomorrow and perhaps several days. A school of squid about the pier caused the mighty rush of the larger fish from the deeper water. The squid were so thick that it was necessary only to drop a hook to snag them, and they at once became bait for their pursuers. Baby carriages, toy wagons, clothes baskets, sacks and even wash tubs were pressed into service to remove the enormous catch, which made the pier a mass of chattering fish. Hundreds of curries were freely given all they could carry away.

SUIT TO OUST MAYOR FAILS AT VALLEJO

VALLEJO, Oct. 23.—The suit to oust Mayor J. J. Madigan of this city from office on the ground that he is not a citizen of the United States came to a sudden end this afternoon, when the attorneys for James Roney, who brought the action, asked for a dismissal on the ground that they had been unable to secure sufficient evidence to prove their charge. The case was thereupon dismissed, and the contest that has stirred the county and interested the entire state for a year past was concluded. James Roney, the instigator of the action, was mayor of Vallejo when Madigan was elected and was defeated for re-election by him. After his defeat, he charged that Madigan was a native of Canada and had never become an American citizen, and consequently was not eligible to hold the office of mayor of Vallejo. Soon after Madigan's election upon the discharge of his duties as mayor he discovered that the George H. Tay company, which had a contract to supply water pipe to the city of Vallejo, was delivering a lighter quality than was called for in the specifications, and he refused to accept the material. This discovery reflected somewhat upon the methods of the Roney administration and caused a good deal of feeling between the two men.

CALIFORNIA FOOTBALL TEAM BEATS ALL STARS

BERKELEY, Oct. 23.—The University of California varsity Rugby team today defeated the All Star Vancouver team by a score of 16 to 12.

FAIRALL FILES APPEAL FOR EUGENE SCHMITZ

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 23.—Attorney Fairall this afternoon filed two briefs of 120 pages in the District Court of Appeals relating to the appeal of former Mayor Schmitz from the conviction on a charge of extortion. One of the briefs deals with the alleged insufficiency of the evidence and the other alleges alleged errors during the trial. The appeal will go on the November calendar.

PRESIDENT ARRIVES AT WHITE HOUSE AFTER LONG TRIP

WASHINGTON, Oct. 23.—President Roosevelt returned at the White House from his Southern trip this afternoon at 1 o'clock, exactly on schedule time. He expressed himself as thoroughly pleased with his trip. "I have had a delightful time," he said. "I am extremely gratified over the fact that I got a bear as the result of my hunt, and none the less so that I had to work twelve days to get it. For the rest, I was touched and gratified beyond measure by the reception I received in the South; indeed, every place in the North and South. The twenty-four days have been full of both profit and pleasure and I am very glad I made the trip." The President refused to discuss the question of fusion in New York, but he did let it be known that the step was taken without his knowledge.

FLIGHT OF 880 MILES

German Balloon More Than Doubled the Airship Record, With French Ship Second.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Oct. 23.—Proclaimed as the most remarkable balloon contest in the history of the world's aeronautics, with every sailing record broken, the second international cup competition, which started here on Monday last, ended today with Germany scoring the winning laurel. The finish of the race was the closest and most exciting the followers of the sport have even known. The victorious German balloon, the Pommer, which landed at Asbury Park this morning, had by slightly more than five miles the advantage of the French contestant, L'ile de France, second in the race, which descended in the afternoon at Herbyville, N. J., a few miles from the Atlantic coast and slightly northwest of Point Pleasant. Another German balloon, the Dusseldorf, stands third in the race. The American is fourth and fifth, third and fourth. A French seventh, an American eighth and the English ninth. The unofficial estimated air line flight of the Pommer is 880 miles and that of the L'ile de France is 875. The Dusseldorf, third, which landed near Dover, Delaware, is estimated to have covered 780 miles. The official measure will be computed later. Only the proximity of the Atlantic ocean stopped the wonderful flight of the Pommer. The balloon could have remained in the air many hours longer, and undoubtedly would have added several hundred miles to her record but for the expanse of water ahead.

STORMS WILL POUND STEAMER TO PIECES

Lies Among Rocks Where Salvage Is Practically Impossible of Accomplishment.

CRESCENT CITY, Cal., Oct. 23.—The stranded steamer Queen Christina lies in the same position she took when she ran aground. The sea continues smooth and the upper deck has been dry ever since the accident. The vessel lies in such a position that she will be exposed to the southeast and southwest storms and to the heavy seas which occur here. A twist in the hull of the ship is noticeable. There is a sandy bottom amidships with rocks fore and aft. A boat containing some of the crew went out to the wreck yesterday and removed their clothing and other personal effects. It is the opinion of local seafaring men that the first heavy storm will pound the vessel to pieces. There is no chance to salvage the heavy articles aboard from seaward, as it is too late in the season and because there are too many sunken rocks around the steamer. The sea is so rough that it will be run to the shore and by this means save thousands of dollars worth of provisions, etc. The steamer Navarro could not get near the wreck, which lies 1000 feet from shore. The submerged rocks extend several hundred feet outside of the Queen Christina. The officers and crew are still here awaiting orders. On the shore is a bluff sixty feet high, which will make cable operations easy.

ATTELL AND WEEKS SIGN FOR FIGHT

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 23.—Articles were finally signed today for a fight between Abe Attell and Fred Weeks, of Cripple Creek, for the featherweight championship of the world on Tuesday evening, October 29th. They will weigh in at 125 pounds, ringside, stripped. Attell had previously held out for 122 pounds ringside with light boxing clothes on. Attell also acceded to Weeks in allowing the money to be split 50 per cent to the winner and 40 per cent to the loser. Attell had wanted 75 per cent to go to the winner Charles Egan will referee.

Ruef Sentence Again Postponed

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 23.—Abe Ruef's sentence for extortion, to which he pleaded guilty, has again been continued for two weeks by Judge Dunne, by consent of Ruef's attorneys and those of the people, as well as his trial on the four remaining indictments for extortion in the French restaurant case.

PITTSBURG AND RENO NEW TROUBLE CENTERS

Westinghouse Allied Interests Financially Embarrassed--Government Aid Extended To Institutions In Two Cities

Westinghouse Embarrassment. PITTSBURGH, Oct. 23.—A flurry in local financial circles, caused by the insolvency of four concerns of the Westinghouse interests, was quickly ended here today by the prompt action of the Pittsburgh Clearing House association and the Pittsburgh Stock Exchange.

Tonight the Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing company, the Westinghouse machine company, and the Security Investments company, a holding company for the Westinghouse company, are in the hands of receivers appointed by Judge Ewing of the United States court. A fourth concern, the Nestor Lamp company, will be turned over to the receivers in the morning.

The Pittsburgh Stock Exchange was closed promptly this morning when informed of the situation, but the Pittsburgh Clearing House association will likely investigate tomorrow. This action is taken for the purpose of preventing an unnecessary sacrifice of value by a heavy liquidation of stocks.

The stringency of the money market is alone responsible for the Westinghouse difficulties. The concerns at present are enjoying the largest amount of business known in their careers. The inability to secure funds to pay off maturing loans caused the embarrassment.

That the local banks are in good condition was shown today when it became public that the Diamond National bank had sent yesterday \$100,000 in gold to New York institutions. Several other local banks took similar action.

PITTSBURGH, Oct. 23.—William Labbutt was appointed receiver for the Iron City Trust company. The papers filed in court represent the company as having assets exceeding \$4,000,000 and liabilities to deposits of \$1,700,000. Attorneys for the trust company said tonight that there seems to be no doubt of the solvency of the company and of its ability to pay depositors in full. "This action was precipitated by the appointment today of receivers for the various Westinghouse interests."

Reno Bank Suspended. CARSON CITY, Nev., Oct. 23.—The announcement by the State Bank and Trust company that it had suspended caused a panic among the depositors and a rush was made on the Nye and Ormsby County banks with the result that the latter bank has closed its doors.

The following notice was posted on the window of the State bank: "The State Bank and Trust company announces its suspension. It is able to pay all depositors as soon as conditions become more settled and collections made. All mining and other stock is intact and subject to delivery."

A general convention of the bankers of the state is being held in Reno in the hopes of adjusting affairs throughout the state. Some months ago the State Bank and Trust company was a heavy loser when the Sullivan Trust company of Goldfield went to the wall. The bank took over the properties and the declining market has forced the bank to call in all loans and as many people have lost heavily through the falling market the collections have been slow. The state bank examiner reported favorably on the conditions of the State bank and Nye and Ormsby bank a few weeks ago. It is conceded that the depositors will be paid dollar for dollar.

Branch at Goldfield. GOLDFIELD, Nev., Oct. 23.—The State Bank and Trust company closed its doors at 11 a. m. today. A notice posted on the door says that the suspension is on instructions from the home bank of Carson City and is due to the heavy drain on deposits during the last few months following the labor troubles and the inability to make collections. The notice further says that the resources are ample to pay all depositors in full. It is generally believed that the suspension of the Goldfield institution was due wholly to the difficulty that beset its sister banks in other cities controlled by T. B. Riekey, who is the head of the re-organized Sullivan Trust company.

Funds From Government. NEW YORK, Oct. 23.—At 12:30 tonight Frank Vanderlip, a vice-president of the National bank, made the following statement: "The situation has been met. The trust companies will come to the aid of the trust company of America. The examination by the committee appointed to look into the trust company has found that the Trust company of America has sufficient assets to warrant protective action by the committee and such action has been decided upon."

Mr. Vanderlip said that Secretary Cortelyou will place enough funds in New York banks to meet any emergency. George W. Perkins, J. P. Morgan's partner, said at midnight that he would probably make some sort of a statement at a later hour. President Thorne of the Trust company of America has sufficient assets tonight that his company would open for business at the usual hour tomorrow with ample funds to meet all claims.

At 12:30 o'clock J. Pierpont Morgan and James Stillman, president of the National City Bank, made a hurried call upon Secretary Cortelyou at

Manhattan hotel. Mr. Morgan declined to say anything regarding his visit to Mr. Cortelyou to discuss the financial situation in any way, but it is said a statement would be given out later in the night. As the visit of Mr. Morgan and Mr. Stillman to the secretary at so late an hour was unexpected, much interest was aroused in the possible developments arising therefrom.

Rockefeller Is Confident. NEW YORK, Oct. 23.—John D. Rockefeller has taken an active interest in the present financial situation and has arranged to lend a large sum to members of New York financial institutions.

"I think," said Mr. Rockefeller, to a representative of the Associated Press, this afternoon, "that the existing alarm of investors is not warranted, and I hope the good common sense of the American people will control the situation. Personally I have absolute faith in the future of values of our securities and the soundness of underlying conditions. "Instinct of withdrawing any of my money in the banks, I am co-operating with the others in helping to meet that which I fully believe to be only a temporary crisis. Every one having the good of his country at heart should by word and deed lend a hand now to re-establish confidence, and I propose to do my part to the full extent of my resources."

NEW YORK, Oct. 23.—Anxiety over the Trust company and banking situation continues to cloud the business horizon today, although the nervousness and alarm yesterday was considerably lessened by the presence of Secretary of the Treasury, Carlisle, in the city, and his promise to remain at the treasury throughout the day. Mr. Cortelyou's statement made last night affirming the strong condition of the national banks of this city also had a very good effect on sentiment and served to relieve the apprehension of

CALHOUN IS TRICKY

Has His Strike Breaking Employees Wear Taylor Buttons In Order to Anger Unionists.

(Special to Republican)

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 23.—One of the many devices of the local campaign is the wearing of Taylor buttons by many of the strikebreakers in the employ of Patrick Calhoun on the street railways. Some of the carmen are not content with one button on each coat lapel and a third pinned on the cap is a frequent sight. The display is clearly made for definite purposes and instead of helping to enlighten the supporters of the strike, it is sure they see a dark political trick.

It is pointed out that when a union man sees a strikebreaker wearing a Taylor button it will serve as a red banner in arousing hostility to the mayor. McCarthy's hope of election lies in arousing class feeling and nothing could help him more than the action of the non-union carmen.

It is charged that Calhoun has with deliberate purpose instructed his men to wear the buttons in order to inflame the union men against Taylor and to bring them to McCarthy, for whose espousal of the fight against the graft prosecution and for whose dictation of the nomination of McGowan in opposition to Langdon the majority is grateful. It certainly is an effective way of inciting the unionists and it is said that the effect of the button display can be clearly seen.

The air is full of conflicting reports as to Calhoun. One was started yesterday to the effect that he has closed his purse strings against McCarthy and McGowan for the reason that they were making too heavy demands on him. A second version was that he was convinced that there was no hope of victory for the anti-graft prosecution men and that further expenditure was a waste of money.

On the basis of this report followed another giving it out that Calhoun had turned loose a flood of coin, that he had told his companions to go ahead and spare no expense. It was stated that he had said that McGowan must be elected at all cost and that several hundred thousand dollars were available for the fight if needed. All sorts of absurd stories are being circulated about Langdon. The worst one was sent out last Sunday. It said that he had offered Eugene Schmitz immunity before the labor convention met, for an endorsement by that body of his candidacy.

Japanese Steamer Wrecked. TOKIO, Oct. 23.—A dispatch from Momi reports that the Japanese freight steamer Kokko Maru from Hong Kong to Yokohama went ashore in a stream off Rishima and is a complete wreck. The crew were rescued in life boats. The loss on the ship and cargo is \$700,000.

business men that the curtailment of credit through the situation following the suspension of payment by the Knickerbocker Trust company might hamper the financing of general mercantile affairs.

An Unfavorable Development of the night was the news that the Trust company of America, one of the city's largest financial institutions, with deposits approximating \$50,000,000 and total assets and liabilities in excess of \$80,000,000, was in need of assistance. It was announced that the general assistance would be given it today and also that it had in its vaults \$12,000,000 in cash with which to begin payment of its deposits today should there be any unusual demand. It became known last night also that the bankers generally did not regard the position of the Knickerbocker Trust company as very favorable and were inclined to permit it to go into liquidation.

A crowd gathered early in front of the Wall street office of the Trust company of America and at 8:30 it was estimated to number about 150 persons.

Knickerbocker Did Not Open. The Knickerbocker Trust company also was surrounded by a constantly increasing number of persons who were waiting in the hope that the institution would open today. In this they were disappointed, for an announcement was made that it would not resume payments today.

Not Felt in San Francisco. SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 23.—The financial troubles in Wall street have caused no disturbance in local banking circles. Irving M. Moulton, cashier of the Bank of California, stated today that there was absolutely no fear felt by the banks of San Francisco. He said that his bank was taking no new business and that the bankers of this city were "standing pat," pending the outcome in the Eastern states.

Wellington Greig of the Crocker National bank said: "The New York flurry will in no wise impair our financial soundness though, of course we feel the effect of the stringency throughout the country."

J. Dalzell Brown of the California Safe Deposit company said: "Conditions are sound out here and the wise conservation of local banks has made their integrity unquestioned."

J. M. Lynch, vice president of the First National bank, stated that the banking situation in San Francisco is very satisfactory.

I. W. Holliman, Jr. of the Wells, Fargo and Nevada National bank and Union Trust bank said: "The New York slump and suspension will not affect local banking institutions."

PORTLAND, Ore., Oct. 23.—Banks in Portland are not affected by the financial disturbances in New York. Expressions of opinion by them are uniformly identical with that of A. L. Attils, president of the First National bank of Portland, who says: "We are living in an era of unprecedented prosperity that Eastern conditions cannot change. Banks are in fine condition and we are loaning money to them, instead of borrowing, as we were years ago. There is absolutely no cause whatever for anyone in the Northwest to feel perturbed because of the conditions in New York."

J. L. Ainsworth, president of the United States National bank says: "Portland banks have plenty of money on hand, deposits are steadily increasing and there are large cash reserves."

No Concern at Los Angeles. LOS ANGELES, Oct. 23.—Local bankers and financiers are unanimous in expressing absolute confidence in the local money situation. All banks and trust companies are in excellent condition and there is no likelihood of difficulty of any sort they say. The banks have large surpluses and are safeguarding their credit.

W. H. Holliday, vice-president of the Clearing House Association, said: "The banks of the Association have more than ample funds. We feel absolutely no concern. Mercantile business is good and the public seems to have plenty of money. Los Angeles and surrounding country is in splendid condition financially and no ordinary condition elsewhere of a panic condition will affect us."

George H. Bittenger, vice-president of the First National bank, said: "What has happened in New York has had no effect here. Conditions are too radically different. This country is too full of riches."

J. A. Graves, vice-president and manager of the Farmers and Merchants' bank said that "all the trouble in New York is pure gambling, and the public is not involved. We are impragmable here in the Southwest."

TWO ARE FATALLY BURNED IN EXPLOSION ON RIVER STEAMER

PORTLAND, Ore., Oct. 23.—Two persons are known to have been killed and one seriously injured as the result of the explosion of the oil burners on the river steamer J. M. Teal shortly before 5 o'clock this morning. At least one more body is known to be in the wreck. There was but one passenger on board, a woman, thought to be Mrs. Amanda Jackson of Stevenson, Washington. She was burned to death. A deck hand named John Collins was burned to death in his bunk. The injured man is "Jack" Hassler, fireman on the boat. The explosion occurred as Hassler was starting to fire up. The fire had been started up by the watchman, but had not been set going at full blast. It is thought that he did not shut off the oil as he should, and a little leaked in the front of the fire pan, forming a gas that ignited when Hassler opened the fire box.

DECISION UPON NYE

Politicians Eagerly Await Result of Attempt of Governor to Pay a Convention Debt.

(Special to Republican)

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 23.—Judge Post of Sacramento has stated that he will soon decide the suit of Frank Mattison of Santa Cruz, appointee of Nye, to oust State Controller A. B. Nye from office. The case has been pending for some time and at last accounts Mattison felt discouraged.

It can hardly be said that the San Francisco statesman has been getting a square deal. At the famous convention held in his city he had a renomination for member of the state board of equalization in his hands. Then Warren Fogler, over from Watsonville, loomed up as an aspirant for lieutenant governor. To ask for two nominations from the same section was too much, and host as he was, Mattison, graciously stepped out of any contest among the visiting delegates thereby giving Fogler a clear field.

"It was agreed that Mattison should be 'taken care of.' He was to be a fellow to throw down coldly. And the appointment as state controller that Governor Gillet has attempted was the making good on the compact. So far, however, Mattison has been getting what his friends style the 'short end' of the bargain. Up and down the state the politician are keenly awaiting Post's decision."

GRAFT IN PLUMBING EXPOSED IN STOCKTON

STOCKTON, Oct. 23.—The plumbing at the county hospital and the manner in which the school for nurses there has been conducted occupied the attention of the grand jury today. There has been a lot of criticism of the manner in which most of the plumbing has been let to one firm. Today other hardware firms told the grand jury quite a number of things about how it was possible to keep most of the contracts with one house.

It is said that calls for bids were drawn up so as to favor the Ruhl-Gondell company, and after the regular award was made extra work charged at higher prices, thus making it possible to make a good profit when on the face of the contract it would appear that the county was getting hardware very reasonably. Supervisor E. E. Trowhaye is a bookkeeper for the Ruhl-Gondell company, but was not called today to testify. The hearing of the testimony of the hospital employees was taken at that institution and the members of the grand jury are said to have been surprised at some of the things brought out. Miss Jamieson, superintendent of nurses, became very excited and at first refused to be sworn, but she finally answered some of the questions. The investigation continues tomorrow.

IMPORTANT SPEAKERS AT CIVIC FEDERATION

CHICAGO, Oct. 23.—The second day of the convention of the National Civic Federation was devoted to the consideration of "The Corporation, Its Construction and Regulation." The chief speakers on the program and the subjects they discussed were as follows: J. W. Jenks, Cornell University, "The Trust Situation," Edgar A. Bancroft, Chicago, "Constructive Versus Regulative Legislation," Isaac N. Seligman, New York, "The Trust Problem," Irving Fisher, New Haven, "Over-capitalization." In the afternoon the principal speakers were Judge Grosscup of Chicago, who discussed "The Construction of a Corporation," Samuel Crompton, Frank B. Kellogg of St. Paul and E. E. Purcell of Chicago.

Wallace Defeats Kane. SAN DIEGO, Oct. 23.—The fight between Harry Wallace of Omaha and Charles Kane of San Diego before the National Athletic club tonight resulted in a victory for Wallace in the third round, Kane being beaten to the floor and counted out.

New Bank Superintendent. ALBANY, N. Y., Oct. 23.—Governor Hughes tonight appointed Clark Williams, heretofore vice-president of the Columbia Trust company of New York, to be superintendent of banks. Mr. Williams will take office tomorrow.

EMPEROR WAS KEPT UNDER TUTELAGE

Is Charge of German Editor That Is Now Being Weighed In Hard Fought Libel Action.

CAMARILLA ALLOWED NO ONE ELSE TO HIM

Influence of Von Moltke, Zu Eulenberg and Others Over Kaiser William Said to Have Been of an Erotica Nature.

BERLIN, Oct. 23.—The libel action brought by General Count Kuno Von Moltke against Maximilian Harden, editor of the "Zukunft," a local "Political weekly," and long an organ of extreme radical opinions, began here today before Justice Kern. The public awaited the trial with extraordinary interest. It was believed that many secrets of the imperial court would be drawn from the distinguished persons summoned to the trial, some of whom are members of the imperial entourage. Von Moltke is an intimate friend of Prince Philipp Zu Eulenberg, the ex-Kiserman ambassador to Vienna, and is kinsman of the present chief of the general staff, Count Von Moltke, and of the governor of the province of East Prussia, Frederick Von Moltke. These three von Moltkes are nephews of the late Great Field Marshall von Moltke.

Harden began last November to assert that Count Zu Eulenberg was the head of a group at court, that sought to influence the emperor's political actions by subtle indirect suggestions. Count Zu Eulenberg, Count Kuno Von Moltke and Lieutenant General Wm. Von Hoppenau, one of the emperor's adjutants, were mentioned by Harden as members of this so-called "camarilla" or "round table" and he accused all three of being spiritualists and of abnormal temperate habits. "It was also said," Crown Prince Frederick William made inquiry into the charges in May and went to his father with the result of his investigation, which caused Count Zu Eulenberg, Count Von Moltke and Lieutenant General Von Hoppenau, to resign.

Harden said he had never written a word more than was necessary. Count Von Moltke said that such a circle as the "Round table" which, as the defendant alleged, had sought to influence the emperor, in a sense contrary to the views of his constitution—an adviser had never existed and could not exist in the entourage of the emperor. The count added that his old friendship with the emperor was "wholly without ulterior motives." Harden said he did not accuse Moltke of criminal acts, but he regarded his friendship with the prince as erotic in character, for the plaintiff he said, had pressed the prince's handkerchief to his lips and cried "my, my, my!" and in writing him a letter had made use of the term "My girl."

The divorced wife of Count Von Moltke testified to the gross epithets that her former husband had applied to married life. She then described the handkerchief incident, which she said she saw from an adjoining room. She declared also that Prince Zu Eulenberg at once knelt to beg her to give up her husband. Referring to the divorce, Frau Von Eulenberg had asked Von Moltke "What will his majesty say to our divorce?" To this Von Moltke replied "His majesty will hear what you have to say." The words created a great sensation in the court room. Continuing, the witness testified that Von Moltke had once written a letter to her mother in which he said they had formed a circle about the emperor which nobody was able to break through.

Answering a question from Harden, Frau Von Eulenberg said Von Moltke had once told her that he often had to make a daily report to the Prince of the happenings at court.

The handkerchief incident was confirmed by Lieutenant Von Kruz.

DISCHARGED EMPLOYEE PREVENTS STRIKE

Telegrapher Says There Are Too Many Opportunities to Work in Colorado to Waste Time.

DENVER, Colo., Oct. 23.—R. H. Shagers' letter to President H. B. Sherman of the Order of Railway Telegraphers, which averted a strike of the Denver and Rio Grande Railroad Telegraphers, was in part as follows: "Since being discharged by the Denver & Rio Grande, thirty days ago, after having given them the best part of my life for the past nine years and seeing by their action how much they appreciate an employee who has given them the best, I have decided that I could not afford to waste any more of my time in their employ. "The state of Colorado offers far too many opportunities for a young man like me to go back to them and I have fully made up my mind to enter other business. I think I am justified in asking you to withdraw the case." "In ending this strike it would work a hardship on some of my old friends and telegraphers of the D. & R. G. and would paralyze the business of this state. "Please withdraw the case, and thank the boys for the manly stand they have taken in the matter."



An Out of the Ordinary Sale Of Women's Suits and Coats For Girls

Circumstances permit us to offer for the rest of this week at about one-half the usual prices a variety of exceptionally well made lot of Women's Suits, and Coats for girls as follows:

Gottschalk's place much emphasis on the act that while their merchandise is of the highest grade the prices are certainly within reach of every person with moderate means.

A critical examination of values is invited. Values in Women's suits are consistent with every other department in the house.

Women's Suits

This department presents a complete line of tailor-made gowns superior in design and quality to any other garments as moderately priced.



250 Pieces of
Ribbon

VALUES UP TO 69c

25c

See these remarkable ribbon values in our windows today. Come early, so you may get just the pattern cut you like. They are of extra heavy weight, fancy taffeta-silks and come in beautiful Dresden designs and Roman stripes; 3-1-2 to 5 inches wide. Regular values to 69c. While they last, 25c yard.

\$5.00

Buy a better hat here than anywhere in the city.

Our special \$5 hats have become the talk of Fresno. Many of them would sell quite as readily at \$10.00 and there isn't one in the lot that you would price for less than \$7.50.

All sorts of swell designs trimmed in a multitude of different ways. Many extra special hats added to the lot today and tomorrow.

Do buy your gloves through us. Give them a test once and you'll be our customer always. Expert glove fitters at your service.

Pyrography is a novel art. Come to see the endless variety of pretty things for burning. If you don't know pyrography we'll teach you how free if you buy here.

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MATTERS BEFORE THE SUPERIOR COURT

NEW PLEA IN RAISIN CASE

Association Agreements Contrary to Good Morals.

Rebecca Eldson Declared Insane By Reason of Fright After Local Burglary.

A new contention has been advanced to complicate matters in the already heavily involved suit of the California Raisin Growers' Association against Andrew Abbott and hundreds of other raisin growers for an accounting of the proceeds of the association sale of the raisin crop of 1903.

The contention is raised in an answer received yesterday from San Francisco and filed in behalf of Wells, Fargo and Co., one of the many defendants named in the case. As a separate defense that corporation avers that the agreement and arrangements as set forth and contained in the amended complaint was and is contrary to the policy of express law and otherwise contrary to good morals and for that reason null and void.

After reading the amended complaint, it is a question what agreements therein referred to are against the policy of express law and good morals. It is a question whether the reference is as to the general association agreements made in 1903, by the terms of which the plaintiff undertook the packing and sale of the crops of raisins of the defendants grown in said year of 1903, or whether to the further agreements whereby the raisins of all said defendants were mingled and sold with other raisins of like grades to make the plaintiff association's general factor and agent for the sale of the raisins in bulk and that as the result of advances and payments made to certain defendants signing the said agreements such have received a larger proportion of the proceeds of the sale of raisins than they were entitled to receive, while others have not received the proportion of proceeds to which they are entitled.

Insane After a Burglary. Rebecca Eldson, a native of Kentucky, aged 44 years, and for two years a resident, was committed to the asylum at Stockton yesterday, by Judge Church on the complaint of her brother-in-law, Sanford Mills. The woman was so violent in her actions that force had to be employed to restrain her. It was given in evidence that she is incoherent, loud and long in her talk and has been given to blasphemy which was an unknown trait before her mind became unbalanced. The relatives stated that the mental derangement became recently more acute by reason of the fright after a burglary of her home on K street. She was for a time in a private sanitarium here and wandering from her apartment attempted to force entrance into a man's room, insisting that he was her brother, and could scarcely be restrained forcibly.

Three Children Adopted. The three children of Alfred Johnson and his dead wife, Ingeborg, have been adopted by Carl and Hulda Anderson of Kingsburg and are thus provided for with a home and education in the event of their father's death. Mr. Johnson, consented to the arrangement for adoption and over the signatures of the Andersons have declared that "now therefore, we do hereby agree that the said children as our own children, we do hereby agree that said minors and each of them shall be adopted and treated in all respects as our own lawful children should be treated."

Information Filed. District Attorney Church has filed an information against Jose Maria Rodriguez of the crime of felony, committed on the 15th day of May, 1907, in that without the consent of the mortgagee, Antonio M. Viera, he sold and transferred five certain cows and five head of stock cattle part of the security for eight notes of February 7, 1907, each for \$1,000. The case is from Selma. Another information was filed against Nicholas Espinoza for an assault with a knife on Amelia Espinoza on the 26th of October. These cases have been assigned to Judge Austin for trial.

Ready for Distribution. Distribution is sought in the estate of Horace A. Harko originally inventoried at \$11,597.64, of which \$9,399.50 was the value of real and personal property. The executrix, Rena B. Dorman, shows cash on hand of \$1,577.15, real estate, lots 212 and 213 of Washington Irrigated Colony, besides the personal property on the vineyard. The distribution according to the will will be of lot 212 to the petitioner, lot 213 to Mary Louise Dorman and Evelina A. Hawley, sisters the deceased, and all else to them in shares of one third each.

City Clerk Ryan has petitioned for letters in the estate of the late City License collector J. H. Coleman, who died on the 15th of last September, leaving an estate of the probable value of \$2,720, besides real estate of the value of \$150 in a constable's certificate of sale of a one third interest in lots in city block 119. The heirs are the widow named Stella Coleman and a son, aged about two years.

Department Notes. Judge Church divorced H. A. Hanson from Anna Hanson on the ground of desertion, she having defaulted. According to his version he had taxed her on return for unlawfully conduct in running off with another man to Los Angeles, and after she had told him to mind his own affairs she hurried an alarm clock and books at him to emphasize her statements. Thereafter she packed up her belongings and left for good.

Kate Castle has petitioned for letters in the estate of Eliza Marie Martin, who died on the 12th, leaving an estate consisting of \$519 cash. The heirs are a daughter, Maggie Hilton of Starbuck, Wash., Ethel Ryder, a niece, of San Jose, and the petitioner, a daughter, of Don Pales.

T. M. Anton and J. C. Moore have qualified as sureties on the \$2,200 bond of H. H. Alexander as administrator of the estate of Mary M. Goran.

A bill of costs for \$26.70 has been filed in the Rivera-Antone Ariel band

NONSUIT DENIED EVIDENCE CLOSED

Pettit-Forsyth Case Arguments to Jury Tomorrow.

Gartenlaub of the "High Five" Was a Witness in Behalf of the Plaintiff.

The trial of the case of George Pettit Jr. vs. William Forsyth, involving a judgment for \$15,200 as the value of 125 shares of stock in the Forsyth Seeded Raisin company, was closed yesterday and then continued until tomorrow for the arguments to the jury.

The interest in the trial yesterday was centered in the appearance as a witness of A. Gartenlaub of the "High Five" and his testimony that the Pettit patent is worth a cool \$100,000. His further statement as president of the United States Consolidated Seeded Raisin company that his company owns both the Pettit and Forsyth raisin seedling patents and lastly in the motion by the defense at the noon hour for a non suit.

Lawyer Frank Short, who had charge of the active work in court in the conduct of the case, argued the motion substantially on the ground that as the proof shown that in February, 1903, Pettit had assigned away his shares as he did again in September he had given away his rights and therefore could have no legal standing as plaintiff.

The motion was denied, and at the afternoon session the defendant was a witness, followed by rebuttal testimony on the subject of the transfer of the Pettit shares which are the subject matter of the controversy. It was almost the afternoon adjournment hour when the trial was closed and the continuance for the arguments was ordered for the hour of 9 o'clock tomorrow morning.

A tedious procedure on the trial has been the tracing of the issues of shares of stock into their various positions between the plaintiff and the defendant. The defense was in general terms and without tracing all these various transfers of stock that Pettit relinquished possession of his 125 shares to the defendant to liquidate money obligations and advances. The rebuttal testimony has raised for the jury to determine a question of veracity as to the real purpose and object of these stock transfers.

In rebuttal it was shown that on February 16, 1898, Pettit first assigned his shares to E. J. Baber, the then secretary of the Forsyth Seeded Raisin company, and that he then had 314 shares. There was no consideration for this transfer according to Baber. There was record proof that this transfer was afterward cancelled and a retransfer of the stock made in the name of Pettit. The Baber transfer was made about the time of the \$5 assessment which Pettit found himself in no financial position to meet.

There was also record proof of September 30, 1898 of Pettit's transfer of all his rights and interests in shares to Forsyth and a question of fact was raised as to the purpose of this transfer. At the time, Pettit was involved in litigation with A. B. Butler and according to his contention the transfer of stock was not so much to protect himself against Butler in case of a judgment and the sale of the stock to satisfy the judgment as it was to protect Forsyth to keep Butler out as a possible share owner and business partner in the seeded raisin business.

Gartenlaub as a witness yesterday forenoon in the case in chief for the plaintiff gave some interesting bits of evidence as a Raisin Row King and raisin seedling patent millionaire, to employ the description of Lawyer M. K. Harris. He declared that when Pettit was ousted by Forsyth in 1898 Pettit's patent was worth at least \$100,000, and his reason for valuing it at that sum was that when Forsyth sued him (Gartenlaub) for a patent infringement of a seeder he paid \$100,000 for a half interest in a patent that was afterward declared by the courts to have been an infringement of the Pettit patent.

Gartenlaub affirmed that he was interested in the Pettit and Forsyth patents and smiled an expansive smile when he said that his company controls what seeders they have.

This in answer, to the question whether through his company he does not control the entire raisin seedling situation. How many seeders there are not controlled by his company he professed not to know.

The patent millionaire said he is not interested financially in the outcome of the Pettit-Forsyth case, and not until last Saturday did he know that the case had been set for trial or that he would be summoned as a witness.

Later in his testimony Gartenlaub corrected himself to say that while he had never given Pettit to understand that he would assist him as the member of a raisin firm yet he had promised to do so as an individual. And then Gartenlaub posed as a big hearted philanthropist, who four years ago moved by the recital of Pettit's troubles, how he had been frozen out of his interest and reduced to poverty unkind fate, felt compassion for him and promised him assistance, yet had not contributed knowingly one dollar towards the prosecution of the case.

This feature of the testimony left the impression entertained by some that his weighty assistance is represented by the revived energy of counsel in the case after it had lain dormant for years, because Pettit was unable because of his reduced means to contribute money to the lawyer for the prosecution of the case. The original counsel in the case were W. D. Foote and M. K. Harris.

J. H. Miller, the San Francisco patent case lawyer, who has been in all the Gartenlaub raisin seeder litigation did not enter the Pettit case until long after and he has been the directing counsel for the plaintiff in

the case, in which judgment went for the defendants.

SHOWS FAITH IN THE WEST SIDE

This Man Is Missourian and Had to Be Shown.

Stop Wrangling, Take In Hammers and Get Busy, Says Settler.

Editor Republican:—Noticing the write-ups that appear in the columns of the Republican at various times in regard to Home Acres and the West Side, I desire a small space in which to express my views on the subject. I have the southeast one fourth of section 34, township 17, range 14, also the northeast one fourth of section 32, township 17, range 14, and am thoroughly acquainted with this section of the country known as the "West Side," having made my home there since February 1, 1897.

The Home Acres tract is about five miles to the southeast of my place. I have traveled in the different states, west of the Mississippi river and have been a resident of Fresno county for sixteen years, during the past eight years continuously, and do not know of any place in which I would rather live than the West Side. The climate is ideal, soil has no depth and the beautiful level country is a picture in itself.

In one article I noticed quoted by J. E. Dickinson that the water was not fit to drink. He even went so far as to challenge one of our fellow citizens to drink a pint of it. It is true that some wells do not produce good drinking water as the coast quacks abound in mineral, sulphur and all, but the majority of the wells produce as good drinking water as almost any section of the country in the San Joaquin valley. The Stillman well, located on section 5, township 17, range 16, is 160 feet deep and produces as good water as any in that section of the country. This water has a slight taste of magnesia, but produces no ill effects, and as all will agree magnesia is healthy. The only real drawback to this water is that it is hard, as all magnesia water is.

On the Myers place, located in section 35, township 16, range 15, a good flow of water was found at a depth of 125 feet. This water is not cold and clear as a crystal. Mr. Domijan has a well on his place, two miles south of D. L. Peters Home Acres, which is 225 feet deep. The vein was struck at 200 feet. This well has never been known to fail and is also good drinking water.

The land belonging to D. L. Peters has been known to produce thirty sacks of grain to the acre. This fact can be verified by some of the most reputable people in Fresno county. Mr. Ladd, who lives near Home Acres, has a grain crop of 200 bushels an acre and at least 400 acres produced this season of barley to the acre. I moved westward from the 15th day of February to the 10th day of March and reaped one ton of hay to the acre, and as for fruit and vineyard land, I think this land can not be surpassed. Mr. Stillman has in his orchard apples, peaches, pears, figs and grapes, all of which produce a heavy crop of excellent quality and good flavor.

I do not understand why the Chamber of Commerce or at least some of the most fair minded members, take such one-sided views in regard to developing water on this land (unless it is that other direction), as arsesian water has been obtained in various places at a depth of 450 feet, and as for drinking water it can be obtained by putting down cisterns, which properly filtered is the only absolutely pure water obtainable and with which every family should be provided for their homes.

I must say that I am not a real estate broker and have no axe to grind, but am interested in the development of the West Side. I am not personally acquainted with D. L. Peters, but I have every reason to believe he will make good. I believe in giving each and every individual a fair chance and giving the devil his due. The only way to develop this country is with capital, ambition and energy. The only way to produce capital is to encourage way-to-provements. I am satisfied that in the course of a few years the West Side will be developed into one of the finest producing countries in the state and that the Chamber of Commerce and our honored citizens may point back with pride to the time when they made that vigorous and successful fight and succeeded in killing the bill of dividing Fresno county and annexing to Kings.

I for one think it is time to stop the wrangling, take in the hammers, quit knocking and get busy. I must admit that I am from Missouri and have to be shown. A word to the wise is sufficient, but the fool heedeth not. Wheatville, Oct. 23, 1907.

Wheatville, Oct. 23, 1907. CASEBOTT.

The well established reputation of Gartenlaub as a man who will stand by the terms of a contract once entered into, was sustained in another bit of evidence which followed soon upon his posing as a philanthropist in aid of the impoverished inventor. It was brought out in response to the question whether after Forsyth sold out his interest in the company to Gartenlaub the latter had not "laid off Pettit." Mr. Short wanted to know how that came about?

"Oh, that was according to contract," was the reply. "Short in his high pitched voice. 'You mean to tell me that because the contract did not stipulate for Pettit's retention that you felt obliged to lay him off?'"

"That was the contract. I went by it."

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BODY IS DISCOVERED; POSSIBLY MRS. HARRIDGE

Wife of New York Attorney for Thaw Has Been Missing Nineteen Days.

NEW YORK, Oct. 23.—The body of a woman of refined appearance found yesterday floating in the East River answers in most particulars the description of Mrs. Clifford W. Harridge, the missing wife of Harry A. Thaw's counsel and friend. Mrs. Leslie W. Russell, the missing woman's mother, said last night at her home that she was impressed with the similarity of the description of the body in the Fortham morgue with that of her daughter. The only difference seems to be that when she went away Mrs. Harridge wore a black skirt, while the skirt of the woman found in the river is a very dark gray. The wife of the lawyer could be positively identified by a mole behind her right ear but there is an abrasion behind the right ear of the body which might have easily removed such a mark.

The woman's ankles were mangled and she bore every evidence of having come from good surroundings. Coroner Schwabneck said that the body might prove to be Mrs. Harridge. She has been missing nineteen days. Mrs. Russell said last night that Mr. Harridge was under the care of a physician and that it would be impossible for him to endeavor to make an identification.

Collision Off Cape Flattery. SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 23.—The British steamer Cape Corso and the schooner Albert Moyer, the latter sailing from Bellingham, Washington, were in collision October 18th, while off Cape Flattery. Both vessels sustained slight damage.

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MARCH KING, WITH HIS WONDERFUL ORGANIZATION OF FIFTY-FIVE ARTISTS, WILL REPEAT FORMER TRIUMPHS AT THE BARTON.

Sousa and his magnificent band of fifty-five artists, with Miss Lucy Allen, soprano; Miss Jeannette Powers, violinist; and Herbert L. Clarke, cornetist, as soloists, will be heard at the Barton tonight for one concert only. The following is the program to be rendered:

1. Overture, "Kaiser".....Westmeyer
2. Cornet Solo, "Rondo Capriccio" (new).....Clarke
3. Suite, "The Last Days of Pompeii".....Sousa

(a) "In the House of Burbo and Stratton."
(b) "Nydia."

Within the room were placed several small tables round, these were seated several knots of men drinking, some playing at dice.

"To have a world of light
When love in the loved rejoices
And the blind girl's house is the
House of Night,
And its beings are empty
Voices."

(c) "The Destruction of Pompeii and Nydia's Death."

At that moment they felt the earth shake beneath their feet and beyond in the darkness they heard the crash of falling roofs. A group of men and women bearing torches passed by the Temple; they were of the congregation of the Nazarenes. The troops chanted along with the wild horror of the air, "Behold the Lord descendeth to judgment! He maketh fire come down from Heaven in the sight of men! Woe to the harlot of the sea! Woe!" At that moment a wild yell burst through the air—and thinking only of escape, whither they knew not, the tiger of the desert leaped among the throng, and hurried, through its parted streams, and so came the earthquake. And so darkness once more fell upon the earth. In the silence of the general sleep Nydia rose gently: "Oh sacred sea! I hear thy voice invitingly—Rest—Rest—Rest!" Bulwer Lytton.

4. Soprano solo, "Roberto".....Meyerboer
Miss Lucy Allen.

5. Till Eulenspiegel's Merry Pranks.....Strauss

A strong sense of German folk-feeling pervades the whole work the source from which the tone-poet drew his inspiration being clearly indicated in the introductory bars: "Comming quietly and gradually becoming more lively, first heard against a tremolo, and then again in the first tempo, the theme is then taken up in turn by the oboes, clarinets and bassoons, and is finally brought by the full orchestra—except trumpets and trombones, after a few bars crescendo, to the dominant half close, fortissimo in C."

It is market day: the women sit at their stalls and prattle. Eulenspiegel springs on his horse, gives a smack of his whip and rides into the crowd, and the market women are put to flight. In haste the rascal rides away. This was his first merry prank.

A merry jester and always given to trying Eulenspiegel goes wherever he can pass off a hoax. His insolence knows no bounds. His audacious breach is made in his wanton humor. The jester drags him before the criminal tribunal which thunders forth a verdict of "guilty." His merry pranks have at last brought him to the gibbet to be hanged. A last struggle (indicated by the flutes) and his soul has taken its flight.

6. Till Eulenspiegel's Merry Pranks.....Strauss

7. "The Ride of the Valkyries".....Wagner

The Valkyries were known in legend as flying through the air on fiery chargers and sent by the gods to convey fallen heroes from the battlefields to Walhalla, there to quiet their mead and pass their life in glorious ease. In his "Ride of the Valkyries" Wagner has depicted graphically and powerfully the wild ride skyward of these warrior maidens.

Calve to Netherese.

Madam Calve saw Olga Netherese as Carmen during the final run of the play in New York. She came one night unexpectedly, owing to a change of bill at the opera, and the only ticket she could secure was one for a seat in the gallery. Calve climbed the stairs and watched Miss Netherese's performance from the heights. She said to the English star afterwards: "You can give a much finer performance of this role dramatically than is possible in opera; for when you say 'I love you,' you speak as though you meant it, taking your own time to show your own emotion; but I have to sing 'I love you' at all times and I must be looking at the conductor's baton to be sure I am singing at the right time." This was a compliment from the greatest dramatic Carmen to the greatest dramatic Calve. On tomorrow evening, the 24th, at

Union Labor News.

Millers' Union, No. 1496, met last night with a full attendance at Union hall. The usual routine business was transacted and three new members admitted, Raffaele Gogano by election and J. Dennis and C. S. Mason by card.

"Butchers' Union met last night and received the applications of ten prospective members. The meeting was adjourned until next Wednesday night.

The Horsehoers' Union, at a meeting held Tuesday night, elected Edward Aitell president to succeed E. Warming, who has gone to Boston, Massachusetts, to accept a position offered him some time ago.

THREE MEN CAUGHT CRACKING SALOON SAFE

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 23.—With chisel and crowbar, three crackmen were discovered at work on the safe in a saloon at Kearney and Merchant streets shortly after 5 o'clock this morning. All were armed but were overpowered by the police. They gave the names of John Williams, Joseph Roberts and Charles Langbran. Letters found in their possession indicate that they are recent arrivals in the city.

John McNair, just out of the hospital, where he had been suffering from the effects of his wounds, yesterday wrote out a complaint before City Justice Graham, charging Dan Sullivan, who is now in the county jail with assault with a deadly weapon. Some weeks ago, on the border of this county and Madera county, Sullivan is alleged to have shot McNair in the back with a shot-gun. McNair turned up in this city with his back full of bird-shot, and had Sullivan arrested.

Burbine Released.

A Burbine, charged with burglarizing a room in a French hotel on G street, was given his hearing before Judge Briggs yesterday, and was released, as the evidence was insufficient to hold him. The only evidence brought to the bar was the merest suspicion on the part of the hotel people and the Italian who occupied the room, entered.

Police Court.

George Bryant, charged with stealing a bundle of laundry belonging to Robert Preston, on a complaint sworn out by Robert Baumgardt, admitted to his Honor that he took the goods, but said that he was drunk at the time, and was not aware of his actions. He was given \$40 or 60 days in jail, and was returned to the jug in default of his fine. This man was apprehended by Deputy Sheriff Whinnig owing to the fact that he was having his hair trimmed when he heard he was to be arrested and ran away with the job half finished.

Tom McMillin, charged with disturbing the peace, pleaded not guilty, and was sent to jail to await trial, his bail in the day. A friend who was representing him, had the plea changed and paid a fine of \$20.

J. Smith, drunk, was handed out 30 days straight by his honor. Shazam, arrested for a misdemeanor, was given \$20 or 20 days, and paid his fine. Dan Allen, who belongs to the wandering fraternity, was handed a suspended sentence for vagrancy. Richard McHale, up for vagrancy, was also let go on a promise to be very good.

Attention I. O. O. F.

The first annual roll call of Central, Cal. lodge No. 348 will be held October 24. It is desired that every member be present not only to answer when his name is called, but to hear greetings from other brethren.

R. W. LOCHHEAD, Secy.

WEEK'S BUSINESS IN POSTOFFICE

Pieces of Mail Handled

Amounted to 100,226.

No Let Up on the Post Card Craze—Revenue for Week

\$1,356.49.

In accordance with orders from Washington the local postal authorities have compiled statistics of all mail matter handled in the Fresno office between midnight, October 12, and midnight, October 19.

Although no reason for the taking of these figures was given at the capital, it is understood that it had to do with the proposed reduction in the tariff on first class matter and possibly an increase on second class mail.

During the week there were 45,842 letters, 12,217 postal cards and 47 packages handled. Of these the latter represented a revenue to the government of \$1050.12; the postal cards \$123.45 and the packages \$5.82. This is all first class matter.

These figures give an indication of the enormous amount of postal cards that the department is called upon to deal with in these days of the souvenir postal and the pictorial joke. About one postal card to every four letters is carried. The postal clerks say that the proportion of postal cards is greater on Sundays than on other days, the reason for this being probably that there are but few business letters written on Sunday.

The total revenue represented by the first class matter during the week was \$1139.39. There were 57,938 pieces handled.

On the second class matter there were 22,396 pieces handled at the pound rate, the revenue from which was \$51.40; 450 pieces of samples, which brought in 87 cents; 12,028 pieces carried free; 24 first pieces which paid 24 cents; 10 pieces to Canada which paid 20 cents, and 745 pieces of transient mail, which paid \$18.57.

There were 36,653 pieces of second class mail handled for a total of \$69.23.

The third class matter amounted to 3248 pieces, which, paid \$41.62, and the fourth class to 619 pieces, paying \$50.23. There were also a piece of franked and 237 of "penalty" matter.

The total number of pieces of all classes carried was 100,226, representing a total revenue of \$1356.49.

These figures, according to the local postal clerks, do not represent an average week's business for the Fresno office, as for some unknown reason, receipts of mail matter were lighter than usual last week.

HEAD CLERK OF THE WOODMEN DEAD

A. E. Sunderland Received Telegraphic Word Yesterday from Denver.

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No Let Up on the Post Card Craze—Revenue for Week \$1,356.49.

In accordance with orders from Washington the local postal authorities have compiled statistics of all mail matter handled in the Fresno office between midnight, October 12, and midnight, October 19.

Although no reason for the taking of these figures was given at the capital, it is understood that it had to do with the proposed reduction in the tariff on first class matter and possibly an increase on second class mail.

During the week there were 45,842 letters, 12,217 postal cards and 47 packages handled. Of these the latter represented a revenue to the government of \$1050.12; the postal cards \$123.45 and the packages \$5.82. This is all first class matter.

These figures give an indication of the enormous amount of postal cards that the department is called upon to deal with in these days of the souvenir postal and the pictorial joke. About one postal card to every four letters is carried. The postal clerks say that the proportion of postal cards is greater on Sundays than on other days, the reason for this being probably that there are but few business letters written on Sunday.

The total revenue represented by the first class matter during the week was \$1139.39. There were 57,938 pieces handled.

On the second class matter there were 22,396 pieces handled at the pound rate, the revenue from which was \$51.40; 450 pieces of samples, which brought in 87 cents; 12,028 pieces carried free; 24 first pieces which paid 24 cents; 10 pieces to Canada which paid 20 cents, and 745 pieces of transient mail, which paid \$18.57.

There were 36,653 pieces of second class mail handled for a total of \$69.23.

The third class matter amounted to 3248 pieces, which, paid \$41.62, and the fourth class to 619 pieces, paying \$50.23. There were also a piece of franked and 237 of "penalty" matter.

The total number of pieces of all classes carried was 100,226, representing a total revenue of \$1356.49.

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A CITRUS FAIR

The proposal of the Chamber of Commerce to hold a citrus fair, or a citrus exhibit, early in January, is to be unconditionally commended. It has been many years since such a fair was held in Fresno, and in the interval the industry has grown from a promising beginning to a realized accomplishment. We demonstrated that we could ripen oranges earlier than the then famous citrus regions. Now we are doing it, not merely as a demonstration, but as a big commercial success. To exhibit that result, to ourselves and to others, is something well worth while.

There is no other horticultural industry so well advertised as orange growing. Therefore there is none so valuable as an advertisement. To the Eastern mind, oranges are the one symbol of the land of sunshine. In fact, to the denizens of northern cold and darkness anywhere, the gleam of the golden orange through the dark foliage is a dream of winter sunshine. The German poet, concentrated the whole longing of the North for the warm South, in the first two lines of Mignon's song:

"Kennst du das Land wo die
Citronen blühen,
Im grünen Laub die
Gold-Orange glühen?"

This fixed place of the orange in the world's imagination is a valuable business asset. The oranges themselves are valuable, especially when they can be ripened for the early market. And the orange exhibit is even more valuable as impressing the minds of the whole people with a realization that we can raise the one thing, regarded as most worth raising.

So good luck to the citrus fair!

A REFERENDUM SUCCESS

Sacramento has demonstrated that the referendum, within its proper sphere, may be a success and a distinct benefit. A city council too subservient to the Southern Pacific had refused to grant a franchise to the Western Pacific, except on terms which left an unfair advantage to the old road, and did not consider the public interest as to flow of entrance to the city and access to the water front. Nothing could be done with the city council, so, under the referendum provision of the charter, a petition was presented to refer the matter to the people. An unusual interest was shown in the election, over half the full registered vote was cast, and this was practically unanimous for the franchise and against the city council.

It is in cases like this that the referendum is useful. Where the issue is single and simple, and where the occasion for referring it to the people is a notorious failure of the elected representatives to act for the people, a definite and positive expression of popular opinion can be had by direct vote, and it is usually right. For instance, if it had been possible to refer to the people of Fresno the question of closing the streets across the Santa Fe reservation, some eight years or more ago, the action of the then city trustees would have been promptly and unanimously reversed. In such cases, the referendum is useful. Its only risk is the tendency of errand theorists to argue from this that representative government should be abolished and the referendum substituted, than which nothing could be more false and perilous.

GIVING OUT POLICE NEWS

According to the Chronicle, one of the results of the reformed police administration in San Francisco is that all the facts of burglaries, robberies and other crimes are made public at once, through the press. The Chronicle points out how this policy restores public confidence, aids in the apprehension of criminals, and shields the police administration from unjust suspicions.

This is of course the enlightened policy of dealing with criminal matters, now pursued everywhere where there is an enlightened and modern police administration. The old notion that criminal matters must be kept out of the newspapers, so as not to hamper the police, has long since yielded to experience, wherever experience is appreciated. It is adhered to only in a few places like Fresno, where the modern paradox, that the best way to catch a thief is to go hunting for him with a brass band, is not yet comprehended. And even here it will doubtless soon be realized that the best detective in the world is a newspaper article, describing the crime and the probable criminal. At any rate, the publication of this sort of news is imperative for the protection of the public.

CZAR MAY FORBID EXPORT OF WHEAT

PORTLAND, Ore., Oct. 23.—The Oregonian tomorrow will say that Private cables were received in Portland today from Liverpool stating that there is a well grounded rumor in circulation to the effect that the emperor of Russia will between now and the end of the present week issue a decree forbidding the exportation of wheat from Russia, as was done in 1892. The paper ventures the prediction that following this announcement grain shippers will go to 45 shillings or better.

DOESN'T KNOW WHAT "GRAFTING" MEANS

Abe Ruef Includes a Humorous Allegation in His Answer to a Suit.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 23.—Abe Ruef is officially on record as not knowing what is meant by the words "graft" and "grafting." The fullness of his expression of profound ignorance on these subjects in the Superior Court against the suit brought against him, District Attorney Langdon, Auditor Horton and Treasurer Bantel by Daniel O'Connell, in which the latter wishes Horton and Bantel restrained from paying the salary of Assistant Warrent and Bond Clerk George W. Lippman, who, O'Connell alleges, was appointed through a conspiracy in which Langdon and Ruef were concerned.

In his demurrer to the complaint Ruef alleges that it is uncertain in that it cannot be ascertained through what it meant by the word "grafting," used therein.

Otherwise the demurrer is not unusual, being similar to those already filed by the other defendants.

MRS. TAFT WARNED NOT TO GAMBLE

Law in Manila Is Strictly Enforced—Secretary Takes Trip to Subig Bay.

MANILA, Oct. 23.—Secretary Taft will start for Subig Bay at 12 o'clock tonight to inspect the coast defenses at the naval base there. He regards the trip as highly important, owing to the impetus given to coast defense work by the Japanese situation. Secretary Taft will return here tomorrow night.

He opened the University hospital this afternoon. The secretary has been petitioned by the Chamber of Commerce to withdraw his army transports from inter-island service.

Mrs. Taft was a guest at a bridge whist party this morning. The local police are making a crusade against gambling and a policeman called to inform the hostess that the law against playing for prizes or money would be enforced.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 23.—The purpose of Secretary Taft's visit to Subig Bay is to endeavor to reconcile the difference of opinion between the army and navy respecting the continuance of expenditures on a large scale for the fortification of that place.

Several years ago a naval board decided that Subig Bay should be the main naval base. The dry dock Dewey was located at Olango on the bay; such artillery as was available was ordered to be put into place and the idea of maintaining a fleet at the principal naval station was abandoned.

Recently, however, the army engineers after several surveys have decided that Subig Bay is practically indefensible as at least 10,000 shells will be required to defend the place from a land attack.

WIFE USES GUN TO PROTECT HUSBAND

GOLDFIELD, Nev., Oct. 23.—In defending her husband from assault Mrs. Ethel Larsen, wife of A. Larsen, shot and mortally wounded Michael Kennedy, who probably died.

Existing between the two men for some time, and Mrs. Larsen says that when she saw her husband being chased by Kennedy, who had a huge butcher knife, she seized a revolver and shot at the fleeing man. One of the bullets went into Kennedy's neck and the other through his right arm. Kennedy will probably die.

It is claimed that Kennedy had been very abusive to Larsen and finally directed his attacks upon Larsen's wife. People who declare they know the inside of the affair state that Kennedy today slapped Mrs. Larsen's face, which contributed in no small degree to her growing anger. Most of the trouble is said to have resulted from the alleged treatment of Kennedy's small son by his niece during the absence of Mrs. Kennedy and the interference of Mrs. Larsen. Mrs. Larsen is left-handed and today proved herself a sure shot.

A FAVORITE DOG COMMITS SUICIDE

SAUSALITO, Oct. 23.—There is grief along the water front and in the poolrooms. Rex, the big Newfoundland dog, belonging to August Beland, and known to the habitués of the poolrooms as a symbol of good luck, has committed suicide.

For some time the dog had been sick. Yesterday he crept from his box and mingled with the crowd on the street. Suddenly he darted out to the end of the wharf, turned round for a moment, gazed at those who had patted him on the back, and then deliberately jumped into the water. Jack Brandon, who had been taking care of the dog, ran out to the edge of the wharf and leaped in to save Rex. He caught the dog by the collar, but Rex pulled himself away and deliberately held his head under the water until drowned.

PLOT AGAINST CZAR DISCOVERED IN RUSSIA

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 23.—A disclosure made by the Russian police of the possibility of another plot against the life of the Emperor of Russia, General Kristi, ex-Governor of Moscow, went hunting Sunday in the forest near Tsarskoe-Selo, and his dogs discovered the entrance to a tunnel which had been concealed from view by a number of heavy planks covered with earth. The entrance is 400 yards from the railroad which runs direct from St. Petersburg to Tsarskoe-Selo. An examination of the tunnel led to the arrest of two men who were found direct with supplies and the finding of some suspicious documents.

GOLDFIELD MINERS HUNT MISSIN GCHILD

Man Stole His Little Girl Away from Mother and Hid Her in Los Angeles.

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 23.—Stealing away from Goldfield with his 5 year old daughter, the golden haired pet of the camp, Louis Kibbey, a prominent mining man, came to Los Angeles and is supposed to have concealed the child in a cheap lodging house. Accused by the sensational act of the father after a slight quarrel with his wife, half a dozen Goldfield citizens quickly organized a posse and started in pursuit. Headed by Mrs. Kibbey, they reached Los Angeles today and began a canvass of every haunt of Kibbey who has been on the street without the child. No less than two dozen officers, representing every detective agency, are enlisted in the search, as are also the police.

Ruby Kibbey, the little one, is a favorite in the big mining camp, where she is known and loved alike by rough miners and prosperous promoters. Several of these are in the party that got in today from Goldfield and they threaten to make it hot for Kibbey if any harm comes to the child through his action.

Mrs. Kibbey says her husband because she would not give him a large sum to invest in what she considered a foolish way. Leaving the house he carried off the child, boarding a train and coming direct here.

TRAIN WRECKER NEARLY SUCCESSFUL

Attempt on Overland Narrowly Averted By Discovery of a Track Walker.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 23.—Only the timely discovery of a diabolical plot to wreck the eastbound overland this afternoon prevented a serious disaster at Holon, on the east slope of Cajon pass, a track walker finding a brake chain wound in a knot about 100 feet in such a way as to have almost surely derailed the passenger on the steep embankment. The track is used jointly by the Santa Fe and Salt Lake. Each company maintains track walkers during the season of heavy rain, and all night and today the track was closely patrolled.

Capitalist Suicide.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 23.—James W. Watkins, president of the J. W. Watkins company, planting mill owner, shot himself in the left breast with a revolver today and will probably die. No cause for his act is known.

Prohibition in Washington.

Why not? Washington is under the control of Congress, and Congress has admitted on at least one memorable occasion that it is subject to the so-called "temperance" agitators.

Some years ago Congress astounded Washington by abolishing the army canteen. The members of the House of Representatives and on various previous occasions yielded to the more or less expressive solicitations of the W. C. T. U., intending thereby to save themselves from persecution and depending on the Senate to rescue them from the consequences of their cowardice. But at the last the Senators grew weary of the role of scapegoats, and the next time the Representatives steered the good ladies and the persons up against them they assented to the bill and stocked their committee rooms in anticipation of the coming death.

Now the Prohibitionists are gathering for a move of special import. They propose to themselves to secure an act of Congress forbidding the sale of liquor throughout the District of Columbia, and they count with much reason, it must be said—upon the same craven hypocrisy which stood them in such good stead before. The idea is to make Washington "dry" all over. This means that the favored classes can drink at will in their homes and clubs, while the multitudes must resort to cellars, "blind tigers," and hidden places generally, the difference being that drinking will go on with unabated fervor, though under mean, furtive, and demoralizing circumstances.

We have little doubt that the crusade will reach triumphant consummation. The result to Washington, to morality, to civilization, and to human liberty, is quite another matter.—New York Sun.

Suicide Left 42 "For Gas."

"Dear George, please find enclosed \$2 for the gas I have used to end my life."

"Good-by."

This was the brief note Herman Oberer, six-three years old, wrote to his friend, George Neef, proprietor of a lodging house at 426 George street, before he turned on the gas in his room there on Tuesday.

As exactly 1,200 cubic feet of gas had been consumed, Deputy Coroner McConnel estimated that this would cost \$1.20, leaving a balance of 80 cents for Neef.

"Oberer was one of the most careful and thoughtful men I ever knew," Neef told Coroner Jermon at the inquest yesterday. "He could not endure being in debt. He never allowed a bill to go unpaid or a favor unacknowledged."

"His father had set down this principle as a rule of life for him to follow, and he did. He had a comfortable income. He desired to return to Germany, but as he had made some investments in silver mines, he was afraid that if he left this country he would lose them. This was what worried him and probably led to his suicide."—From the Philadelphia Ledger.

Texas Girl's Opinion of Football.

Miss Anna Warden of San Antonio, Tex., who is accompanying Miss and Mrs. Adelbert Vreka of San Antonio, on a trip abroad, yesterday afternoon declared that a football game was twice as strenuous as a bull fight. She made this observation after witnessing in the afternoon at Franklin Field the contest between the playing warriors of the University of Pennsylvania and Franklin and Marshall.

"Why, football is brutal!" exclaimed the Texas girl. "Bull baiting and fighting are child's play alongside of a strenuous American college football game. Out in Texas we have football matches and maybe some one will draw the conclusion from this statement that we use bullets for the football, but we don't. The players are gentle, so much so that when one is felled considerably, his opponent whispers to him, 'Pardon me!'"

"I would rather see a bull fight any time than a football game as played in the East."—Philadelphia Inquirer.

TRACKLESS TROLLEY IN SUCCESSFUL USE

Germany, France and Italy Are Maturing the Youngest Prodigy of the Transportation Realm.

The trackless trolley has come, writes David Beecroft, in the Technical World Magazine for November. Germany conceived it in 1901, France experimented with it two years later, and now Germany, France and Italy are maturing this youngest prodigy of the transportation realm.

In the opening hours of the present century a German electrical house established a short trackless trolley system near the town of Bielstein, the line measuring less than five miles in length and serving as a medium for transporting manufactured products from the factory to the railroad. Necessity demanded transportation of this nature on account of the objection by the municipality to the laying of tracks on the roadway. Success in a minor degree was attained, the scheme proving not only feasible but economical. The wagons employed were heavily built vehicles with an electric motor harnessed to each rear wheel, the necessary current being taken from an overhead trolley wire, by an improvised trolley pole carried on top of the wagon cover. A steering mechanism completed the pioneer trackless trolley.

With this crude arrangement—his improvised car, a child of necessity, and a dash of the flash and clang of the factory forge, was accomplished the weaving of the overhead trolley wire from the twin brothers of electrical locomotion. The child grew apace. Soon Germany boasted of five lines of trackless trolleys used for passenger transportation in districts where the laying of rails was forbidden or where the installation of them would entail too heavy an investment for the possibilities for traffic. Now seven lines of varying length are devoted either to passenger or to freight traffic or a combination of both. France has its initial line in operation near Lyons and, in the district of Milan, the premier Italian system is already operating successfully. None of these lines is more than ten miles in length, some are but three miles from end to end, but their operation has nevertheless demonstrated the practicability of the trackless trolley and its cost of operation in comparison with other methods.

Valuable Furniture Left to Decay.

(From the New York American.)

A Black Hand letter, threatening the life of Jeremiah Casey, prominent inventor and former Mayor of Edgewater, N. J., brought to general notice yesterday the astonishing fact that since May 13 \$10,000 worth of the Casey family possessions have been standing unguarded and uncovered by the side of a public road in Edgewater.

On that date, Mr. Casey, his wife, and their beautiful daughter, Helen, standing by their principles in some litigation, allowed themselves to be evicted from their home. Their daughter, known on the stage as Justice Cuttling, is a talented member of the Gracie George company.

Ever since then, neither the Casseys nor the borough authorities would touch the household goods. A grand piano worth more than \$1,000 has been exposed to wind and storm, until now it is a sad ruin. A billiard table that cost \$700 is likewise a wreck. Costly furniture, paintings, and tapestries have lain in piles until they are sodden and mildewed.

So determined were the Casseys to stand by their rights and refuse to remove their property that they even allowed their gold watches and the actress' diamond rings to stay in the watches and jewelry are still there, in bureau drawers.

"I do not know whether or not the Mr. Casey said yesterday, 'But I have a list of the articles taken away, and within a short time I am going to bring suit against certain borough officials for their full value.'"

POINTED PARAGRAPHS:

No man is totally bad and no woman is totally good.

Even respectable people, like good weather, are often talked about.

A girl may be as pretty as a picture but some pictures are fierce.

If love would only remain blind after marriage—but what's the use?

House painters and novelists are responsible for some highly colored stories.

The average man is dissatisfied either with what he has or what he hasn't.

Be sure you get a round-trip ticket when you take a trip on a merry-go-round.—From the Chicago News.

DOES YOUR SCALP ITCH?

Are Your Hairs Dropping Out by Ones?

If your scalp itches you are doubtless suffering from dandruff. The dandruff germ is digging up your scalp in little naked, called dandruff, and sapping the life of the hair bulb.

No hair preparation that is a mere hair stimulant and tonic will cure dandruff, because it won't kill the germ that causes the trouble. Newberr's Herpicide is the latest scientific discovery and it will kill the dandruff germ. Destroy the cause, and you remove the effect; kill the germ and you will have no more dandruff, falling hair or baldness. Sold by leading druggists. Send 10c in stamps for sample to The Herpicide Co., Dept. 100, New York City.

Geo. H. Monroe, special agent.

NOTICE

We want to thank our many patrons of the last few weeks for their forbearance under the conditions surrounding the extensive alterations made in our store and location.

We wish to announce that now the disagreeable part of the work is completed and the finishing touches to our front and interior will not interfere with the proper showing of goods.

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This morning at 9 o'clock we place on special sale 50 dress skirts in plain black and blue panama fancy worsteds. Mostly plaited models with bands on bottom. Values up to \$7.50 for \$3.95.



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We advise every man who is interested in getting the best and most for his money to shop around and then come here to look.

We've our new fall stock now ready \$10 to \$25.

Boy's coats, \$5 to \$10.

Stylish Trimmed Hats

You can choose from a very large assortment of fine trimmed hats in all the late fall colorings and save from \$2.05 to \$3.00 a hat, because the values we offer are far and away better than the like styles are priced about town.

\$5.00 Trimmed Felts, \$3.50.
The hat that has set a talking all Fresno young women.

The Store For Shoes of Every Kind

\$3.00 Ladies' Kid Shoes, \$1.95.
Blucher cut, soft vici kid skin, large eyelets, Cuban heels.
\$2.00 Boy's Calf Shoes, \$1.45.
Made of stout calf skin, heavy extension soles, all solid; sizes up to 5 1-2.

The New Fall Coats

Come tripping in by ones and twos and out they go almost as fast as we can get them. Buy early this year, for it's going to be hard work getting alteration done as soon as you expect this year.

These new fall models are \$4.95 to \$15.

Credit Accommodations

At this store is nothing else but merchandise banking. We invite you to open an account here.

If a merchant is a poor collector or uses poor judgment in extending credit it follows he is just as unsuccessful in all his other undertakings.

On the contrary, he is successful in the conduct of business and understands the value of credit and how to manage it. This merchant has a big advantage over his competitor.

A concern that can boast of doing over a million dollars a year and have its credit losses less than a quarter of one per cent certainly does not have to advance to retail prices to cover its losses. It may surrender this much profit and well it can afford to, but it can afford to under itself because the volume of business is so much increased and expense of operating is lowered thereby.

One practical demonstration of this is in the fact that this store does more business than all other stores of its kind in Fresno.

Today's Grocery Specials.	Bargain Basement Offerings.	HELP WANTED.
60c Japan Tea, lb. 49¢	50c Matted Pictures 17¢	Man for bill collecting; girl for billing. Good positions for right parties. Nothing intricate to learn.
Arm & Hammer Soda, pkg. 7¢	25c Handkerchief Boxes 10¢	Alteration hands wanted—Five women on coats and suits wanted immediately.
French Castle Soap, bar, 25¢	35c Dressing Combs 25¢	
I. N. L. Macaroni and Cheese, can 7¢	\$2.50 Iron Wagons \$2.25	
Tomatoes, per lb. 2¢	15c Toilet Paper, 3 for 25¢	
Apples, per lb. 3¢	15c Napkins, dozen 6¢	

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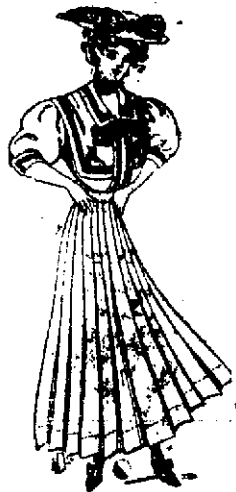
Actual \$6.50 Values, \$4.75

Another lot of those beautiful net waists in ecru color net; Japanese silk lined; elaborately trimmed with cluny lace, beautiful applique and double thread Valenciennes lace; new 3-4 sleeve; very stylish; actual \$6.50 values. While they last they go at

\$4.75

Manufacturers' Sale Line of Ladies' High Grade Dress Skirts

65 Wide Awake Women Will Get a Great Bargain



We have just been fortunate enough to secure the entire road sample line of one of the largest dress skirt manufacturers in the United States. There was just 65 beautiful skirts in the lot; no two alike; one prettier than the other; ranging in price from \$6.50 to \$16.00. The materials are all wool Chiffon Panama, Sharkskin, Voile, Herringbone and Taffeta Silk; mostly plain colorings, black, navy and brown. It is seldom you get an opportunity like this at the beginning of the season on choice new advance styles; for your convenience in selecting today we have arranged the skirts into five lots, and urge you to come if you can this morning for best selection and attention.

Lot 1—Fourteen \$6.50 Dress Skirts\$4.89
Lot 2—Twenty \$7.50 Dress Skirts\$5.69
Lot 3—Twelve \$10.00 Dress Skirts\$6.98
Lot 4—Ten \$12.50 Dress Skirts\$7.49
Lot 5—Nine \$16.00 Dress Skirts\$9.89

THREE UMBRELLA SPECIALS TODAY

26-inch Gloria Umbrellas \$4.00 Umbrellas Now \$2.79 \$3.50 Umbrellas Special \$2.39

About 50 different styles of fancy 8-rib frame; beautiful silver handles; a fine quality Gloria covered 26-inch National frame, with a beautiful assortment of handles; are \$3.50 values. Actual \$2.00 values \$1.48 \$2.79 \$2.39

THE MILLINERY SALE CONTINUES

The Best Values Ever Offered in Town.

\$6 to \$7.50 Trimmed Hats, \$3.98

About 40 styles of new Fall Trimmed Hats; no two alike; made on fine felt shapes; latest block; trimmed with best silk ribbons, feathers and fancies; nearly every color and black; \$6.00 and \$7.50 values. Special \$3.98

\$8 and \$8.50 Trimmed Hats, \$4.68

A magnificent assortment of beautifully trimmed Hats; made on fine French shapes and flaps; in every new idea and color effect; elaborately trimmed with best of feathers and fixings; \$8.00 and \$8.50 values. Special \$4.68

\$10 and \$12.50 Trimmed Hats, \$7.75

Gorgeous creations; picture hats in this lot. Every color; every new idea of the season represented; magnificent French felt and silk ideas; elaborately trimmed with the very latest fancies, feathers, ornaments, etc. A most magnificent array of beautiful hats. Special \$7.75



IN THE FANCY GOODS SECTION

Chiffon Auto Veils 75c

4 yard finished Auto Veils of fine quality silk Chiffon; full width; in black, white, brown, champagne, navy, tan, pink and blue; hemmed ends ready for use. A veil worth \$1.19. On special sale

75c

\$1.00 to \$1.50 Belt Buckles

A magnificent assortment of new stylish Belt Buckles of hammered brass, copper and steel; in an endless array of unique designs and color effects; ideas to match costumes. All regular \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50 values. Special

68c

35c Taffeta Ribbons 19c

5-inch all silk Taffeta Ribbons; good quality in black, white, light blue, brown, navy, pink, cardinal, garnet, etc.; a fine grade for millinery purposes and the quality usually sold at 35c. Special sale price

19c

48c for 75c Overall Aprons

Ladies' Overall Aprons, of best quality Amoskeag Gingham; cut very full and long; button back with straps over shoulders; the 75c kind. Special

48c

\$1.50 Flannelette Gowns

Ladies' Gowns of very heavy soft eiderdown flannelette in delicate light blue and pink stripes on white grounds; neatly trimmed on collar, yoke and sleeves with durable wash braid to match; cut extra full and long; all sizes; a regular \$1.50 value. Special

\$1.19

Children's Knit Toques 35c

25 different styles in children's knit. Worsted Toques; well made; in either solid colors or striped combinations; a soft warm quality and usually sold at 50c. Special

35c

Ladies' Woolen Hose 25c

Ladies' heavy ribbed or fine cashmere finish wool Hose, in black and Oxford gray; seamless and nicely fashioned; warm and durable. 25c

Boys' Union Suits 89c

A fine grade boys' Twin Needle Union Suits; fleece lined; well made; nicely finished; all sizes; 24 to 34; dollar grade

89c

Ladies' Sweaters

Two very pretty styles in ladies' wool knit Sweaters; either coat or Norfolk style; trimmed with fine white pearl buttons; in white, red, navy, and gray; a \$3.50 value. Special today

\$2.75

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THE WEATHER

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 23.—The depression over the great valley is moving slowly northward and now extends from the Sacramento Valley to the mouth of the Columbia. This has caused cloudy and threatening weather over the southern half of the Pacific slope and generally fair over the northern. Scattered showers have fallen in California from San Francisco southward, Arizona, Nevada and Utah. Thunderstorms are reported from Los Angeles and Yuma. Conditions are favorable for continued threatening and showery weather in California Thursday.

San Joaquin Valley.—Cloudy, probably showers Thursday; light south wind.
Temperature (dry bulb)69
Temperature (wet bulb)62
Humidity67
Wind (west)4
Maximum temperature70
Minimum temperature51
Rainfall (last 24 hours)0.08
Rainfall (season)2.22
Probably showers Thursday.

General Conditions.
The depression noted yesterday over the upper lakes has moved eastward to New England and the valley of the St. Lawrence, accompanied by generally cloudy weather over its central portion. Light rains have fallen in Missouri, Illinois and Florida, with a westerly extension across the Rocky mountains to Puget sound. The weather is generally clear and cool over its northern portion. Unsettled conditions prevail from the Rocky mountains westward, with an area of low pressure central over Montana and another over the Pacific slope. Light rains fell generally throughout Middle and Southern California, and over portions of Utah and Arizona. Cloudy weather prevails along the Pacific coast, with favorable conditions for continued unsettled weather and probably showers at Fresno and vicinity tonight and Thursday.
J. P. BOLTON, Official in Charge.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Sweet cider
From "mountain apples"
On tap at Hollands.
Hammond wants fig packers.
Miss Seibert, florist, 1160 I St.
Ask for Danish Creamery Butter.
Kate Parsons, florist, 1915 Fresno St.
Beck's photographs, 2023 Merced St.
Go to the Ventura Cash Market for the best meat.

Suitor crews wanted at Madison & Bonner's packing house.
Oats—car Oregon seed oats just arrived. Hobbs Parsons Co.

People who wear Dr. Kearns' glasses have good vision. 2036 Mariposa St.

Joe Pickford has opened the Empire Meat Market at 923 J St., next to Empire theater. Phone Main 206.

A seven roomed house with three lots and fine shady lawn for sale at 748 N St. Inquire at room 307, Land Co. building.

Los Palmas lodge No. 356, F. & A. M., called meeting this (Thursday) evening. First degree. All Masons cordially invited.

The ladies of the "Congregational church" will give a New England dinner this evening at the church between the hours of 7 and 8.

James L. Barber and Miss Hilda E. Rettig, both of Mendota, were united in marriage by Justice of the Peace Smith in the Grand Central parlors Tuesday night.

Owing to the church bazaar being held next Wednesday at Eastern the Ladies' society of Our Savior's Danish Lutheran church will meet today instead of next Thursday at Mrs. Otto Paulsen's home on Orange Ave. at 2 o'clock.

The Catholic church was crowded yesterday morning for the funeral of Henry Shaven, who died at his home, 741 J street, last Sunday. A solemn requiem high mass was sung. The floral decorations of the church were particularly beautiful. The interment was at Mountain View cemetery.

PERSONAL MENTION.
—Dr. and Mrs. Farron of Visalia are guests at the Fulton.

E. G. Wilson of Stockton is registered at the Sequoia.

R. H. Parkhurst of Fowler is at the Sequoia.

Mrs. Wren, Mrs. Sanderson and Mrs. Thomas of Modesto are at the Fulton.

S. G. Bent of Selma is at the Fulton.

P. C. Eason, Mrs. Eason and Miss Tarleton of Modesto are at the Fulton.

Edward Sloat of San Francisco is here on a visit to his mother, Mrs. Julia Parker of 828 P street.

Jacob Richter, proprietor of the Rainier Bottling works, will leave with his family for Germany this morning over the Southern Pacific. They will spend several months in the fatherland, returning to Fresno in the spring.

H. J. Madison and N. P. Jensen of Oakland, who they will sail on the steamer Amerika to visit their former homes in Denmark. The party will spend three months in Europe.

A. B. M'AFEE TO WED
MRS. LEONA WHITE

Couple Take Out License and Ceremony Expected to Take Place Today.

Young Cupid has been up to some mighty sly and crafty tricks hoodwinking close friends and even relatives but the secret is out at last revealed in a marriage license obtained last night by Arthur B. M'Affee authorizing his marriage to Mrs. Leona Hollenbeck White.

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LADY MACCABEES TO GIVE HALLOWEEN DANCE

At a well attended meeting of the Ladies of the Maccabees last night it was decided to give a Halloween dance next Wednesday night.

After the business meeting an entertainment was held in honor of Mrs. G. S. Brower of San Francisco, who is visiting Mrs. E. S. Van Meter. A varied program was given by the members present. Mrs. Lizzie Boyd sang and Mrs. Brower made a clever short speech. Mrs. Lizzie Boyd, Mrs. Johanna Nelson and Mrs. Eliza Barnaby were the committee of the evening's entertainment.

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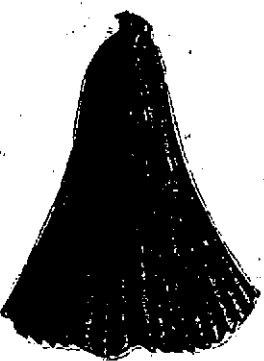
We have just 100 pairs of our "Splendid" imported Kid Gloves, which were never sold for less than \$2.00 a pair, that we will place on special sale today at the sensational low price of only 69c pair. They are 3-button, short length, and come in white and mode only; have trimmed edges to match the costumes.

Remember, we can not try on or exchange these Gloves at the remarkable low price we have marked them.

Sizes 5-3-4, 6, 6 1-4, 6 1-2, 6 3-4 and 7.

For today only, a pair, 69c.

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Smart Skirt at \$4.50

A very unusual value. Two styles to select from. One is in red and green-check-panama with plaited panels, self-stappled. The other is in a blue and black striped panama, plaited panels; trimmed with buttons and straps.

These skirts are very well made; the material is an extra good quality, and they are cut full and graceful. Priced at only \$4.50.



Tailored Skirt at \$8.50

The sketch gives an idea of the style. It is strictly up-to-date. The material is a beautiful panama in invisible plaids and checks; all the new fall shades are shown; are well tailored and designed; in the full plaited effects.

Stitch skirts at a low price. \$8.50.

Waterproof Umbrella \$1.00

These who need an Umbrella should not let this chance go by. It's an extra good and serviceable one; has a 7-rib steel frame, with waterproofed covering; curved natural wood handle; size 28 inch. A special value at \$1.00.

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The latest and the cunning little Teddy bear suits; little knit jacket and pants to put on the Teddy Bear.

We have a great assortment of them; in all colors and sizes.

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Your underwear wants are met quickly, satisfactorily and economically here. These are extra good values, which you'll do well to investigate.

Men's light gray, cotton ribbed Underwear; high cut collar; full size; an extra good wearing wear; an exceptional value at, a garment 75c.

Men's natural gray, half wool and cotton Underwear; good winter weight; full size; one of the best Underwear values in town; garment, \$1.00.

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Are in Fresno county, reached by the Kings River S. & T. Co's stage from Sanger. Take 6 p. m. train from Fresno, stages leave Sanger daily, Fare \$11, round trip, including trip to the Converse Basin sawmill, the most scenic trip in California; the gateway to the wonderful Kings River Canyon. Address R. M. GALLAGHER, MGR. F. R. S. and T. Co., SANGER.

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PRINTER'S INK PAYS

VETERINARY MOVED AWAY

A Complication That May Affect the Hayden Rumpus.

Reporter Bert Crane Has Accepted the Mayor's Offer of City Expert Office.

There is another vacancy in a municipal job carrying a monthly salary—that of the city veterinarian, which includes the duties of the meat shops and slaughter houses inspectorship. The incumbent has been B. F. Hetzold, but he has dissolved the business partnership with County Veterinarian Longley and removed his residence and business to Selma by which act he also relinquished the city office.

The official is an appointee of the board of health, subject to confirmation by the board of city trustees and Hetzold succeeded Meat Inspector Burleigh at the salary of \$75 a month. Because of the addition of duties involving upon him as a veterinarian, the health board increased his salary to \$100 but he has never been paid it, the trustees having failed to take action approving the news arrangement. Hetzold has been drawing his salary of \$75 as did the meat inspector before him and putting in his claim for \$25 a month since last May. It is a question of whether the board of health will reappoint another veterinarian, having hit upon another scheme. This thing may there for become an important factor in bringing about the resumption of friendly relations between the trustees and the health board over the Hayden controversy. The health board has pending before the trustees for action a recommendation that it is the sense "that the public health requires that the United States laws, customs and rules relative to the inspection of meats and as to the sanitary character and condition of slaughter houses should be adopted, enforced and applied in the city of Fresno." That an inspector of the United States government should be employed and that the cost of such inspection be paid by the slaughter houses and wholesale butchers within or supplying meat to this city. Action on this recommendation was to have been had on Monday evening, but the resolution was mislaid and the subject overlooked. It may be brought up at the adjourned meeting this evening and perhaps be held up to be used as a lever in view of the Hetzold vacancy to force action on the Hayden resignation by the health board.

City Expertship Filled Mayor Lehn has hypnotized another newspaper reporter to enter the strenuous field of city politics and incidentally to take upon himself the responsibilities of the office of city expert and as a pastime the duties of private secretary to the mayor. Bert Crane, the city hall reporter of the Herald, officially informed the mayor yesterday afternoon that he would accept the offer of the appointment tendered him and that he would be ready to enter upon the discharge of the duties of the office on the 1st of the month. An invitation has been received by the city trustees from the Chamber of Commerce and Merchants' Exchange of San Francisco to attend today the cornerstone laying ceremonies of the new custom house building at the southwest corner of Battery and Jackson streets.

BREAKS UP GANG OF BAD JAPANESE

Selma Justice Hands Out Stiff Sentences.

An Overworked License Receipt Fails to Have the Desired Effect.

A gang of so-called "Japanese high binders" who have been terrorizing the Oriental quarter of Selma was effectively broken up yesterday by Justice of the Peace Tucker of the "dry" town. I. Yoshida, alleged to be the ringleader, was held over to the superior court on the charge of assault with a deadly weapon, the victim of which was a fellow countryman, one Y. Sogi. The prosecuting witness, proving recalcitrant when called upon to testify, was required to deposit \$250 cash bail to insure his appearance at the trial.

F. Saitan, whose victim in Fresno is not of the most savory and who convicted himself of being a wanderer with no fixed place of abode and with no reliable means of subsistence, was ordered to pay \$180 fine with the alternative of a jail sentence. Maeda retained Joel H. Smith, the Selma attorney, to defend him and produced a receipt from the city license collector of Fresno to prove that he is engaged in a legitimate business as proprietor of a laundry on G street. Some three months ago, when charged with vagrancy in the Fresno police court, Maeda produced a similar license receipt but this time Deputy District Attorney Hawson and Attorney M. G. Gallagher, of Selma, who assisted in the prosecution, succeeded in convincing the court that the receipt was another "burglar's mask" such as Prosecutor Honey made effective use of in the Schmitz trial. As a result Maeda will spend the next six months in jail.

Y. Morita and K. Okazaki, companions of the principal offender, were fined \$60 and \$30 respectively, with alternative jail sentences. And the law abiding Japanese of Selma, who have been the unwilling victims of the terrorizing, blackmailing "high binders", and who thronged the courtroom, smiled broadly when the defendants were removed from the sphere of their recent activities.

THE GREAT MONEY CRY

Sale of the D. Stevens & Co's. Cloak, Suit and Millinery Stock of 136-138 North Spring Street, Los Angeles, Starts This Morning

THURSDAY AT 9 A. M.

Every article in this stock marked in plain figures at about half-price and less. This stock consists of Millinery, Cloaks, Suits, Skirts, Waists, Ladies', Misses' and Children's Furs, and everything pertaining to a first-class Millinery, Cloak and Suit Stock.

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Stock bought by our Los Angeles representative, Mr. A. Gollober, at his own price. Fall goods at the height of the season at less than end of the season prices. A great opportunity for the people of Fresno and vicinity.

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At Sale Price

\$1.50 Untrimmed Hats 70c
\$2.00 Untrimmed Hats \$1.15
\$3.00 Untrimmed Hats \$1.75

Ladies' \$4 Trimmed Hats \$1.85

Ladies' fine trimmed hats, all styles and shapes. They are positively swell at \$4.00 which was Stevens & Co's price. We are selling them for \$1.85.

Ladies' \$5 Trimmed Hats \$2.85

Ladies' trimmed hats, trimmed with fancy feathers and ribbons, also ornaments. Stevens & Co's price was to be \$5.00. Our price \$2.85.

Ladies' \$6 Trimmed Hats \$3.25

Here's your chance. Ladies' fine trimmed hats, beautiful novelty dress hat, hand made, of silk velvet, all silk ribbon and imported fancy feathers Stevens & Co's price on these were \$6.00. Our price \$3.25.

Ladies' \$7.50 Trimmed Hats \$3.95

Ladies' \$8.50 Trimmed Hats, \$4.25. Ladies' trimmed-hats, latest style and shapes, after the latest Parisian models, trimmed with feathers, ornaments and ribbon; a swell hat. Stevens & Co's price \$7.50. Our price only \$4.25.

\$9 Value Trimmed Hats \$4.75

\$10.00 Trimmed Hats for \$5.50. Ladies' trimmed hats, made after the latest Parisian models; swell shape and elaborately trimmed; a swell value at \$10.00. Sale price \$5.50.

\$15.00 hats for \$7.95
\$35.00 hats for \$18.50

Furs at Sale Price

\$2.00 Furs for 95c. Long black furs; regular \$2 value for 95c.

\$3 Furs For \$1.85

A fine line of furs, \$3.00 value, \$1.85. \$6.50 furs for \$2.75. \$8.00 squirrel furs for \$4.50.

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Odds and Ends in Short Coats; all silk lined; values up to \$22.50. You can have your pick for \$3.50.

Ladies' Long Coats; all wool; trimmed with silk braid. D. Stevens & Co's price was \$10.00. Sale price \$4.95.

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\$5.00 Misses' Skirts for \$2.75
\$6.00 Misses' Skirts for \$3.45
\$5.00 Ladies' Skirts for \$2.75
\$8.50 Ladies' Skirts for \$4.75
\$15.00 pure Silk Skirt, made from the best quality of silk; sale price \$9.00
\$16.00 Voile Skirts \$9.75
\$20.00 French Voile Skirts, sale price \$12.50

Children's and Misses' Coats

Stevens & Co's \$4.50 coats, sale price \$2.85
Stevens & Co's \$6.50 coats, sale price \$4.05
Stevens & Co's \$10.00 coats, sale price \$6.75

Ladies' Coats

\$12.50 Ladies' Coats, that's what Stevens & Co. asked for them, sale price \$7.50

Stevens & Co's \$20.00 coats, in all colors, sale price on these are \$12.50

Stevens & Co's \$25.00 coats, lined with satin for \$14.00

All Stevens & Co's \$35.00 coats for \$19.00

Ladies' Net Waists

At Sale Prices

\$6.00 Net Waist for \$3.95
\$7.50 Net Waist for \$4.05
\$9.50 Net Waist for \$6.75
\$12.50 Net Waist for \$7.50

Ice Rubber Satin Coats

Misses' and Ladies' Coats at Sale Prices.

\$16.50 Coats for \$9.95
\$25.00 Coats for \$14.50

Children's Bear Skin Coats at Sale Prices

\$5.00 Coats for \$2.95
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News of Central California

DEFAMATION SUIT IS OUTCOME OF QUARREL

Mrs. Antone Silva Brings Action Against Neighbors.

District Attorney Dismisses Assault Case Against Elmer Fowler.

MERCED, Oct. 22.—A damage suit for defamation of character is the latest development in a bitter neighborhood quarrel which has been brewing in the Dutch Colony for several weeks past and which has once before been the cause of the parties concerned being haled into court.

Mrs. Antone Silva alleges in the complaint filed by her attorney, F. G. Osterander and Hal Shaffer, that her reputation as a woman loyal to her husband has been damaged to the extent of \$5,000 by statements made in public by the wife and daughter of Frank Dutra who are well known among local Portuguese people.

The primary cause of the whole affair was a 50 cent toy umbrella in the possession of Mrs. Silva, and which the Dutra girl, Mary, accused her of stealing, but which later the first named lady proved in court that she had found.

At that time the three members of the Dutra family were under arrest for disturbing the peace of Mrs. Silva, and it was during the trial and subsequent thereto that the younger member of the Dutra family uttered words which Mrs. Silva now says so greatly damaged her character. Mrs. Dutra, the mother of the girl, at the conclusion of the trial whereat she and her daughter paid a fine of \$50 each, it is alleged, corroborated the very forcible remarks of her daughter, which were delivered in open court, and is therefore named as one of the defendants.

All parties concerned are considered as well off financially. The case of the People vs. Elmer Fowler of Los Banos, who last January shot James Cowan in the leg during a fight, was dismissed yesterday for lack of evidence by Judge Fletcher of the superior court. The motion for dismissal was made by District Attorney H. S. Shaffer and followed the disagreement of the jury last week. Cowan, the complaining witness, while on the stand, contradicted himself a number of times and the county prosecutor therefore did not think it wise to make any further attempts to secure a conviction.

After exhausting two ventures in an attempt to secure a jury of twelve in the case of the People vs. Al Keighton, it was agreed by the attorneys of both sides that ten men would be fully capable of passing upon the evidence, and consequently at 10 o'clock this morning before Justice of the Peace Griffin the taking of testimony was commenced.

Keighton is accused of having battered a peon while placing him under arrest on the night of October 13th. It is alleged that the peon who was badly beaten up at the time was in a drunken and helpless condition and there is also some question as to whether Keighton, who is a well known tomcat, was an authorized peace officer when he made the arrest. Keighton, while admitting that he handled the peon rather roughly, claims that the man had been beaten before he took him in custody and further alleges that the prisoner made an apparent effort to draw from his pocket what Keighton supposed to be a knife and that he (Keighton) struck the prisoner in self defense.

The defendant is represented by Attorney Ben Berry, while friends of the peon have secured Attorney E. H. Farrar to assist District Attorney Shaffer in the prosecution.

Geo. Kaehler and wife and son and A. Wood and wife of Fresno came to Merced yesterday in a motor car, and inspected Mr. Kaehler's eucalyptus grove in Rotterdam colony, four miles from Merced. Last season Mr. Kaehler had 15,000 eucalyptus trees planted on a lot he owns in Rotterdam colony. The young trees are doing well and promise excellent results. The culture of eucalyptus trees is interesting in this vicinity. Eucalyptus trees planted in Rotterdam colony nearly twenty years ago are now bearing well.

PACIFIC COAST BASEBALL

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 23.—Portland's good fielding won today's game by a score of 4 to 1. Score:

R. H. E.
Portland.....010 200 001—4 3 1
Oakland.....100 000 000—1 7 5
Batteries—Kinsella and Donahue; Carnes and Stripp. Umpire, Perrine.

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 23.—San Francisco defeated Los Angeles today 5 to 3. Gray was wild and his passes and hit batters were mainly responsible for the local's defeat.

R. H. E.
Los Angeles.....101 010 000—3 8 1
San Francisco.....000 010 010—5 7 5
Batteries—Gray and Easterly; Henley and Espla. Umpire, Toman.

SOUTHERN PACIFIC IS CHARGED WITH BREAKING SAFETY APPLIANCE LAW.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 21.—Upon information furnished by the interstate commerce commission, U. S. District Attorney Robert DeWitt today filed complaints against the Nevada-California-Oregon railroad and the Southern Pacific company for alleged violations of the safety appliance law. The Nevada-California-Oregon company is charged in the complaint with having its cars out of order and in need of repairs upon six different occasions and that the law was violated. The plaintiff prays judgment against the defendant for \$500 on each charge, and costs.

The Southern Pacific company faces but one charge, on a similar offense and the plaintiff prays judgment of \$100 and costs.

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Bulk oysters fresh every day at Joe Giardina Fish Market.

LINDSAY PHYSICIAN ADMITS WRONGING GIRL

Dr. Williams Given 15 Years on Plea of Guilty.

Young Wife Remains Loyal to Disgraced Husband, Who Wept Bitter Tears.

VISALIA, Oct. 23.—Dr. N. W. Williams, a physician of Lindsay, pleaded guilty before Judge Wallace this morning to criminal relations with 11-year-old Georgia Lowrey of that place and was sentenced by Judge Wallace to fifteen years in San Quentin prison.

The announcement was received with some surprise in this city, as it was believed that Williams would stay with his denial and stand trial on the charge. Williams' trial had been fixed for next Tuesday and seventy-five jurors had been summoned.

Williams broke down at the jail before being taken into court and wept bitter tears. He was more composed when sentence was pronounced, but his wife, a comely young woman of less than thirty and more than thirty years Williams' junior, covered her face and wept.

D. M. Connor, attorney for the physician, made a strong plea for leniency on the grounds of the confession of guilt, thereby saving the expense of a trial and also the age of the defendant, who is in his sixty-fourth year, stating that whatever sentence might be imposed it would practically mean life for his client. Judge Wallace, in passing judgment, stated that he did not feel that confession in such a case should have much weight but that the age of the prisoner should be considered. If Williams obtains his credits and lives to the end of his term, as it is confidently believed he will, he will have served nine years and four months.

The crime for which Williams pleaded guilty today was one of the most hideous in the history of the county. Involving the young girl into his private office, with candy and presents of money he accomplished his purpose, accompanying his acts with threats of violence if the child should tell. These conditions, which had been going on since June, came to light through the two having occupied a room in a lodging house in this city during the day time the latter part of September. The landlady became suspicious and officers were sent for. The two were followed to Lindsay and the day following the girl was called out of school by Sheriff Collins. Attorney M. E. Power and Officer Hall and a confession obtained from her. Williams was immediately arrested. Up until this time he had denied his guilt.

Williams' wife accompanied him

FRESNAN ARRESTED ON EMBEZZLEMENT CHARGE

Martin Bahnsen Is Apprehended in Hanford.

Kings County Electric Road Progressing Slowly—Better Phone Service.

HANFORD, Oct. 23.—Martin Bahnsen was arrested in Hanford today, on a warrant for embezzlement, sworn out by Frank McCormack, in Fresno City. The alleged offense was committed some months ago, but the act of embezzlement in actual fact, when the defendant is alleged to have refused to return the funds in question, when asked by McCormack, took place about three weeks ago. Bahnsen was formerly in the employ of McCormack, in Fresno, and worked as a collector. The allegation is made that he collected a bill for \$21, of which he subsequently made no account to his employer, even when asked specifically about it and after evidence had been obtained against him. The complaint was issued in the morning, in the court of City Justice Graham of Fresno. A deputy constable was sent at once to this city to make the arrest, as it was understood that Bahnsen was here.

Since coming to Hanford about a month ago, Bahnsen has been working for Weisbaum & Son. A church social held this evening at Armory Hall by the members of the Episcopal church, proved delightfully entertaining to more than 200 guests present. An excellent program was rendered which added much to the social function.

Driver Moody Leggett has challenged P. C. Burns for a race between the latter's horse, Billings, and Whittell's fast mare, Dutch. The race, if made, will take place within six weeks, at the county fair grounds.

The trial of Jose Gonzales, who is charged with assault with a deadly weapon, will come up for hearing in the superior court tomorrow.

Nothing new has developed in regard to the Kings county electric road, except the fact that the promoter, S. F. Granger, is going ahead with the city franchise, and from appearances, something may yet "be doing."

H. G. Lacey, who was injured in a runaway accident during the Central California fair, is much improved and able to be about town once more.

Albert L. Fink and Anna Easterbrook, both of Lacey, and Otto K. Fink and Florence Meyers, both of River Bank, were granted marriage licenses in County Clerk Cunningham's office last evening.

During the winter months heretofore, back to jail this morning and was present while preparations were being made for his trip to the penitentiary tomorrow.

CHILD ON COW CATCHER PLAYS WITH DEATH

Removed Fortunately Before Train Starts.

Wishon May Heat Madera With Gas—Rancher Stricken.

MADEIRA, Oct. 23.—Imbued perhaps with the idea of making a tour of this end of the world in his own fashion, Bonner Dyer, the 4-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Dyer, climbed onto the cowcatcher of a freight train in this city last evening and would have taken a trip which would perhaps have proven fatal to the little fellow had he not been taken from his precarious position before the big locomotive moved out. The child was of course unconscious of the danger which he ran, but was fortunately noticed by bystanders in time.

Julius Vignolo and Miss Myrtle Dapelo, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dapelo, were married at the home of the bride's parents near Raymond last Monday afternoon. Justice of the Peace E. T. Vignolo, brother of the groom, performed the ceremony. A number of relatives and a few intimate friends of the family and the contracting parties were present.

William Hely, a well-known rancher of this county, was stricken with apoplexy last evening at 6 o'clock while of Leggett's jewelry store. He was Yosemite avenue in this city in front after removed to the Yosemite hotel, carried to Hunter's drug store and physicians worked over him. He was later removed to the Yosemite hotel, and is able to talk rationally this morning, though far from well. This is the third attack of the kind that he has had in two years. He is 70 years of age.

The county Sunday school convention is to convene here Thursday, October 31st. In the evening a lecture on "A Trip to Rome" with stereoscopic views is to be given at the Baptist church. Many delegates are expected and an excellent program has been arranged.

A. G. Wishon of Fresno was in this city today looking over the ground and making some observations in regard to a proposed scheme of putting in a gas plant here for heating purposes. It is understood that he is contemplating such a venture.

the telephone service on the farm-er lines has in many cases been very unsatisfactory, but in some instances this will not be the case during the coming season. R. R. Reed, of the contract department of the telephone company, is at present busy constructing a new metallic circuit extension south-west of the city.

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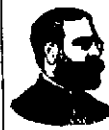
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Events In Society

An important event of last night was the wedding of Miss Lulu Doyle, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. B. W. Doyle, and Arthur Emery of Spokane. The wedding took place at the bride's home on north I street and was marked with the greatest simplicity. About thirty of the relatives and friends of the young couple were present.

A very pretty decorative scheme in white and yellow was observed throughout the decorations of the house, which, though simple, were most effective.

In the living room, where the ceremony was performed, white chrysanthemums and trailing greenery combined effectively in the decorations. The bride was unusually striking in her becoming bridal gown of soft white silk, which trailed about her in soft folds with a filmy tulle veil falling from the crown of her pretty dark hair to the hem of her gown, caught in her hair with orange blossoms. She is an unusually pretty girl of the picturesque type, dark and of graceful bearing. She is as charming as she is pretty, her graciousness of manner and sweet nature influencing all who come within the circle of her friendship.

Miss Ida Bacon attended her as maid of honor. Miss Bacon, too, is a striking brunette, her dark coloring being set off to wonderful advantage by the golden tints in her pretty yellow crepe gown. She carried a huge cluster of yellow chrysanthemums. The bride's bouquet was of white chrysanthemums.

The groom was attended by Luebo Albers of Albuquerque, New Mexico, who came up for the wedding. Mrs. Frank Armstrong played the Lohengrin wedding march to the strains of which the wedding party took their places in the reception room. Rev. Duncan Wallace officiated.

Following the congratulations the bride and groom led the way to the dining room, where amid decorations of beautiful golden chrysanthemums a delicious supper was served.

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The young pair left on the Owl for Los Angeles, Long Beach and San Diego to spend the honeymoon. From there they expect to take a steamer for Portland and Seattle en route to their future home in Spokane, where the groom is employed. The bride will be greatly missed from Fresno, where she has spent nearly all of her girlhood, and the good wishes of many friends accompany her in her new life.

Last night a few friends gathered at the residence of Signor Wanrell on M street for an informal evening of music, with the genial Signor and Miss Carranza, his gifted young pupil. Since it was Miss Carranza's nineteenth birthday the occasion was one of double pleasure and the celebration was a very merry one. There were several distinguished guests present, among them Lieutenant Schoenfeld and Dr. Walter S. Hoen of the cruiser Californian, now in San Francisco harbor. The guests were delighted with the music offered by Signor Wanrell and Miss Carranza. Miss Patti Carpenter accompanied.

The subject of a university extension course is being agitated and present observation points to a favorable outcome of the agitation. Frederick Mortimer Clapp, one of the university lecturers, was in Fresno a few weeks ago looking over the field and was most anxious to awaken interest in university extension work, making Fresno again one of the centers. His himself will be the lecturer and his lectures are as interesting as his personality. The subject he takes up is Elizabethan dramatic literature. In view of the fact that many of the clubs are studying Shakespeare it would seem that this was a most opportune time for such a course. A. C. Olney, principal of the high school, is interesting himself in the course and is being assisted by the high school teachers, each one of whom is pledged to interest ten people. This would about make up the number necessary to have the course. There ought to be a great many literary students interested in this splendid course and when only 150 members are necessary to take the step towards having the lectures it seems incredible that this number cannot be found. Yet in the past year or two there have been strenuous efforts made on behalf of the course by an earnest committee to keep up the lecture course.

This year, however, it looks as though the efforts of those concerned in bringing Mr. Clapp here were to be crowned with fruitful results.

Mrs. J. M. Braly has returned from a prolonged summer outing at Carmel, San Jose and other places. Her

daughters, Misses Elizabeth and Bertha Braly, are remaining a few weeks longer in San Jose with relatives.

There is nothing quite so important to a girl as to be "sweet sixteen" and it is quite right that this should be made a memorable occasion with her. Mrs. L. P. Swift, who is always doing something charming for her two interesting young daughters, made the sixteenth birthday of her daughter, Miss Gertrude, a very happy occasion yesterday both for Miss Gertrude and for the sixteen jolly girls who helped in celebrating her birthday.

After studies were over this merry little party betook themselves to a downtown confectioner's, where a birthday feast of all the sweets that girls love was spread for their delectation. With Miss Gertrude occupying the center of the long table and the bevy of pretty maidens bubbling over with fun and good humor seated about her the feasting progressed merrily. The table was extremely dainty and attractive in decorations of delicate pink roses and quantities of smilax adorning it. During the progress of the feast, the center piece of roses was replaced with the huge white birthday cake bright with its sixteen twinkling lights and the business cut it. Across the smooth white frosting of the cake was the year 1907. Mrs. Swift chaperoned the gay party, which included the following girls: Margaret Cory, Hazel Cartwright, Marcia Edwards, Leola Marshall, Marchioria Beveridge, Blanche Moore, Marjorie Book, Margaret Kenyon, Hazel Fisher, Marguerite Vogel, Dorothy Noble, Edith Noble, Marguerite McLane, Bernice Pierce, Elise Hall.

The Madison club will meet tomorrow for its usual all-day session with Mrs. Louise Brett.

Mrs. Frank Gray has been confined to the house for nearly a fortnight by illness. She is somewhat improved in health, but unable to be about yet.

The members of the Knives Klatsche enjoyed a pleasant afternoon yesterday with Mrs. S. W. Norton on Glenn avenue. The usual social hour with the work bags forming useful occupation and refreshments constituted the afternoon's pleasure. Mrs. Katherine Hurd and her niece, Miss Gertrude Golden, were guests of the occasion. Mrs. Charles Bonner will entertain the ladies next week.

The Leisure Hour club met yesterday with Mrs. G. W. Cartwright on S street, continuing with Mrs. Miller the study of Hamlet, which is absorbing much time and thought just now among the members.

Mrs. Ethel Aber was hostess for the Wednesday club yesterday when it convened to take up the study of Germany, preparatory to studying the Nibelungenlied. Mrs. Swartz read a carefully prepared paper on Primitive German History and Mrs. Charles Miller an interesting discourse upon

Mythology and Legends. The club meets with Mrs. Burr next week.

Miss Gertrude Golden of Detroit, Mich., is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Katherine Hurd, and cousin, Miss Isabel Hurd, for a few weeks.

A wedding of this month which holds much interest for the Fresno friends of the bride is that of Miss Lottie Walton and Frederick Emil Matthes, which took place at the home of the bride's mother in Pleasanton on October 2nd. Miss Walton taught school in Fresno a year or two ago and during her stay here made her home with Mrs. J. M. Collier. She was a clever, bright girl and made many warm friends here. Her husband is cashier of a bank in Astoria, Washington, where they have gone to live. It was during a visit to her aunt in Astoria that she met her future husband.

Charles Coon of Arizona Colony was given a delightful surprise party by his friends on Monday evening at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Coon, the occasion being his 15th birthday. Games, music and conversation whittled away the evening hours. Coffee and cake were served. The dining room was handsomely decorated. The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Coon, Mrs. Asplund, Miss Mattie Colyer, Ethel Peterson, Annie Gard, Josephine Gard, Edith Asplund, Fern Mallett, Charles Coon, Charles Spencer, Fred Redden, Edwin Asplund and Albie Coon.

OFF ON AUTO JUNKET ACROSS ALKALI PLAINS

Supervisors Will Do the Glad Hand Act In the Town of Coalinga Tonight.

The supervisors will leave this morning on an automobile junketing journey across the wild and trackless alkali plains on the West Side and will spend the night at Coalinga. The party will be headed by Supervisors Martin and Jorgensen in the latter's runabout, to go over in part the old Wheatley road from the terminus of Kearney boulevard to McMullin's in Jorgensen's district, and from there through Martin's district across the plains to Fish Slough beyond. This old and disused road, it is proposed to regrade and reopen for travel across the plains as a shorter route across the plains to Fresno for the special benefit of the people of Coalinga. It is also proposed to go as far as the Contra Costa district to note the conditions there of the bridges in Jorgensen's district. The stop-over at Coalinga is for the purpose of consulting, generally with the citizens as to the needs of that long neglected territory, to give the glad hand and to remind them that they are not altogether forgotten by the supervisors in the matter of material improvements.

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PARAGRAPHS FROM THE COUNTY SCHOOLS

Residents of the Kingston District Want the Name Changed to Hardwick.

Residents and patrons of the Kingston school district have asked the supervisors to change the name to Hardwick. The petition originated by Frank Johnson does not give any reason for the proposed change in name, but it is understood that the argument is that the town of Kingston and the postoffice once located there are non-existent save in memory as reminders of a long forgotten past.

Superintendent Lindsay visited yesterday Pomona school district located three or four miles south of town and reported a good working school there. If the weather is propitious, Mr. Lindsay proposes to pay today a visit to Arroyo district. He expected to make the thirty mile-wide yesterday, but the prospect of rain discouraged him.

Charles G. Storie has been appointed trustee and secretary of the board of the Oil King district in the Coalinga neighborhood. Resignations of trustees have been received from R. C. Barnes in the Duke and Elmer Wolfe in the Fancher districts.

The printed report of the recent meeting of the state teachers' association has been received at the county superintendent's office and teachers may have copies by calling for them.

LICENSES OUT FOR TWO PROSPECTIVE WEDDINGS

Licenses to marry were issued yesterday to the following named: Winslow T. Clough, aged 19, and Maudie Bittick, aged 18, both native born and residents of Merced. A. G. Clough, father of the young man, consented to the son's marriage.

Arthur P. McAfee, native of Indiana, 24, and Leona White, a native born, 24, residents of Fresno.

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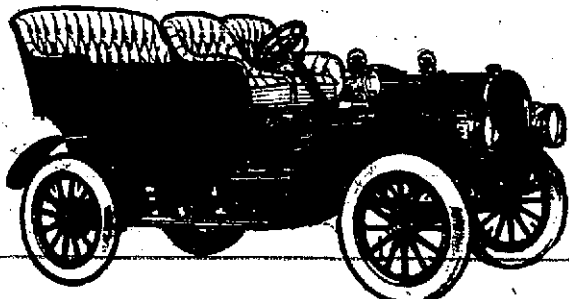
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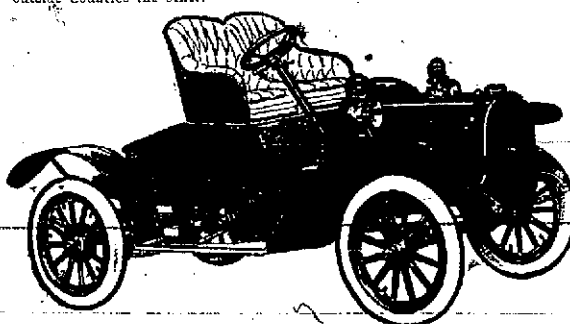
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Six Trips to Yosemite

The districts will be the same as for the trips to Hawaii, and one trip to Yosemite will be given to the person receiving the second highest number of votes in each district.

Six Trips to the Hawaiian Islands, All Expenses Paid

For the purposes of this prize, the San Joaquin Valley will be divided into six districts.

District 1—Fresno City. District 4—Merced and Stanislaus Counties.
District 2—Fresno County outside city. District 5—Kings County.
District 3—Madera County. District 6—Tulare and Kern Counties.

One trip to the Hawaiian Islands will be given to the person receiving the highest number of votes in each of these districts, who does not win one of the capital prizes.

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Aileen Brewer



S. T. Owings



Lucy Price



Joe Green



Mrs. L. E. McManany



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Golden Koonce



Fuller Collins



Ida Shimmins



Harry Young



Ida E. Nelson



Harvey Harris



Lillian Duncan



E. F. Fitzgerald



Myrtle May Hudson



Carrie Fishback

It is with a feeling of pride and satisfaction that the Republican publishes the following pictures of its principal candidates in the grand voting contest. They represent some of the best people in the San Joaquin valley, many belonging to the valley's most enterprising pioneer families. Not a few were born in the valley and are very closely identified with its growth and prosperity. It is altogether fitting, then, that the list of contestants in the competitive race of the Republican, the valley's representative paper, should have the names of the best people on its list.

This contest attracts only the best, for it is the best contest ever inaugurated in the San Joaquin valley. It has only been on three weeks—is yet in its infancy—and already has a record breaking vote. The Portland Fair contest in 1906 was looked upon as a marvelous success and yet this contest has so far surpassed it in enthusiasm and snub that the 800,000 mark which was the goal reached by the highest candidate in that race is destined to be replaced by a million figure in this race. This is a bigger contest in every way. In that con-

testant by three of Fresno's leading citizens, Milo Rowell, J. E. Dickenson and A. B. Clark, all experts in land values and thoroughly acquainted with conditions. The soil is of a quality to raise vines, trees, vegetables of all kinds—in fact, any purpose to which the owner may put it. This ranch is going to belong to some lucky contestant on the evening of December 21st. Make it yours. It is the easiest way of acquiring property you or anyone else will ever find. Maybe it will take a little effort. You would not value it if it didn't. Don't be discouraged because someone has a few thousand more votes than you. Beat them. You can do it and the prize warrants a big strong pull. The ranch goes to the highest candidate in all districts.

The two automobiles are quite as desirable to many as the ranch. They are both fully equipped Ramblers ready for immediate use. The touring car, the second prize, is open to all districts like the ranch. The third prize, the Rambler runabout, goes to the district not receiving the touring car.

For the purpose of these prizes the valley is divided into two districts Pres-

ident. He was one of the latest to enter the race from district 1 and already has outdistanced some of the first ones in the contest. His friends are all giving him their able support and his votes are all telling.

Mrs. Curtis Neal and Miss Minnie Elise are working up to the top of the list with a steady stream of votes. Miss Violet Cotton, the youngest contestant in the race, has gone ahead of Miss Ida Shimmins, and is now ninth in district 1 with Miss Shimmins close behind.

Mrs. Francis Sherman comes next in the list with almost a 20,000 vote opposite her name. She is out for one of the big prizes and her activity and the energy of her friends has placed her well up in the ranks. Chester Crane is another in the five figure list who is conducting an active campaign. He has been out since the first and will certainly be found among the winners.

Ed Freitas is another five figure candidate. He has been gathering up votes thick and fast everywhere he goes and has a good healthy sun opposite his name which is bound to grow to a six figure proportion before his end.

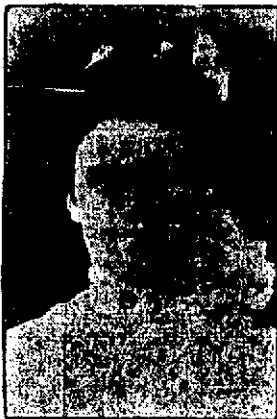
you can find no easier, more delightful way of giving it than by helping that person in his efforts to help him to this unequalled opportunity which the Republican is offering.

The Yosemite trip is likewise educational in its opportunities. The most gifted writers have written of its manifold fascinations, world-famed artists have put upon canvas by the magic of their brush its magnificent splendor, pictured in granite cliffs, rushing waterfalls and mirror lakes.

California has no less beautiful scenery on the coast to which you may be one of the privileged ones to go. If you want these things now is the time to be interested and interest others in your behalf. Every ambitious boy or girl can always find people to help them. Many have already gone long ways towards reaching some fine prize.

Mrs. George Cobb leads the list still with the largest vote in any district. Yesterday was the first day she has not made a big gain. She is a very popular candidate and her friends have all been rushing votes for her with ceaseless rapid fire. Today Mrs. Max Hoen has made a good gain on Mrs. Cobb and bids

THREE LEADERS IN THE CONTEST.



Mrs. George Cobb



Christina Larow



F. M. Shuck

petition the prizes were trips to the Portland fair. In this case trips are given merely as consolation prizes, so to speak. This consolation prize in this contest so far exceeds the first prizes in the other contest that one marvels at the thirty trips which are offered after the grand prizes are awarded.

The grand goal of each ambitious contestant in this race is the twenty acre ranch. That is a chance not often handed out and every one realizes that the gaining of this prize means a real conquest. Every one knows by this time just the location of this ranch but for the sake of some newly-entered contestant we shall locate it exactly again. In technical terms it is the E. 1/4 of S. W. 1/4 of N. E. 1/4 of section 12, township 13 S., range 17 E., M. D. B. and M. It lies about nineteen miles northeast of Fresno, five miles north of the town of Kerman in the Fresno Irrigated Farms tract. The land is of exceptional value and cannot be bought for less than \$100 an acre. With irrigation rights undisputed and the Herndon canal lying just half a mile north the water facilities can't be beat. The San Joaquin river is but three quarters of a mile to the north with all of the possibilities that it offers to lands adjacent. The road from Fresno to the tract is down picturesque Kearney avenue, one of the famous drives of the state, as far as Kerman, then the drive goes along the main county road direct to the ranch. Nothing could be finer than the location of this ranch, close-

no county being one, all the nothing districts, the other. That gives all of the outside districts an equal chance for the big prize, which some of them seem to be in a fair way to win. These automobiles are absolutely high grade machines in every respect, the touring car worth \$1,650, the runabout worth \$1,100.

For those who do not win the capital prizes there are thirty prizes of value in the trips to different points of interest. Each district will be given one Hawaiian trip, one Yosemite trip and three coast trips.

The Hawaiian trip will go to the person highest in his district not receiving one of the capital prizes. The Yosemite trip to the second highest, and the coast trips to Los Angeles or Santa Cruz to the three after those winning the other two trips. With such a showing of generosity on the part of the Republican it is a comparatively easy matter to win something. According to the view point of many, the Hawaiian trips are the pick of the prizes. These marvelous Pacific Islands are the mecca of many an Eastern tourist—in fact, tourists from every corner of the globe had the islands irresistible in charm. It is a liberal education to have such a trip put in your way. Perhaps you have not thought about that side of it. One is apt to often think of only the pleasure side. But you have heard many returned travelers say they would not take several years without a Hawaiian trip.

If your boy or girl, or your friend has aspirations for a higher education,

try to take her old place back as first in the list. Mrs. Hoen has been a splendid subscription gatherer and is intent on one of the big prizes. As things look now she is going to have one, for her vote increase is daily piling up a tremendous total which is going to count for much on December 21st when the final reckoning is made.

Fuller Collins, the son of W. T. Collins, is making a fine showing. He always polls a good vote and while he has made no prodigious leap is making the steady gain that after all counts for the most in the end. He has not exhausted his resources by any means and his friends have a lot of good votes saved up for him that are going to make a big final count.

Stuart Evans is not far behind. His fellow workers at Madary's have been interesting themselves in his behalf as he is a deaf mute and cannot depend so wholly on himself as runs of his competitors in the race. He makes creditable gains each day and has generally worked up to fourth in the list of district 2.

Miss Ida McDonald is testing her popularity and showing her true worth in her splendid run. But a few days ago she was ninth or tenth in the list. Now she has taken a stride forward and occupies fifth place with every chance of moving farther up the list. She has innumerable friends in the school department, where she is a valued teacher, besides others on the outside who are endeavoring to make her campaign a notable one in every way.

R. George is another energetic con-

District 2. F. M. Shuck is the leading contestant still in district 2 and is third in the entire list. His advance has been a steady one from the beginning. Other candidates have sprung up all about him but he has kept at it and is now leading his district.

Aileen Brewer, the enthusiastic little Selma girl is showing her mettle in a very lively race. District 2 is the star district of the contest. There is such a lot of good natured rivalry and lightning change of places that it keeps everyone guessing. There is where the sport comes in. J. Christman appears as a strong third in this district for over the half hundred thousand mark. H. Wilhelm has made rapid gains of late and has forced ahead of A. M. Rutherford, who formerly held his place. After Mr. Rutherford comes Harvey Harris, one of the live rustlers for a place up in front.

Martina Rasmussen, another youthful competitor, is pushing along at a lively rate and has passed a lot of older contestants on her way to the top, which she seems destined to reach before long.

J. N. Puole took a leap upward a day or two ago and is holding his position against candidates longer in the race than himself. Mrs. Lenora Downer is also making a fine showing. William Larsen of Medley added 5,000 votes yesterday to his already big count. He is an energetic worker who is going to make the others in the district look out.

J. E. Jensen, Della Wells and Miss Annie Hewitt (Chubb) are having a



Minnie Elise



Norman Giesey



Grace Dickie



Stuart Evans

For The Republican's Magnificent Prize Offers



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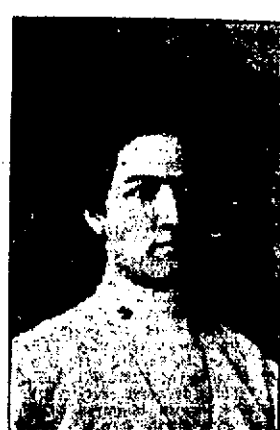
Mrs. Max Hoen



Leland Jones



Mrs. Curtis Neal



Mrs. J. A. Thunen



Frank Bagley



Ferd Gosner



Alice L. Tilden



William Larsen



Mrs. M. L. Burk



Ed Freitas

lively scramble as to who shall be first. E. F. Fitzgerald withdrew yesterday from district 2.

District 3.

Miss Christina Laraw has changed places today with Lucy Price. These two popular Madera girls are having an exciting struggle among themselves, each anxious to lead.

Irene Glas comes third and Mrs. Loren Phillips Post, who by mistake was placed in district 1, takes fourth place in district 3. She lives at North Fork, but has quite as many friends in Fresno as in Madera county who will be eager to see her in first place. Golden Koonce is another active candidate in this district, which is one of the most active in the contest.

District 4.

Lesh L. Thomas of Los Banos leads her district and is fourth in the list of the whole contest. She is one of the most active subscription getters in the whole contest and looks like a winner.

Ferd Gosner, (Modesto), Norman Giesy, (Modesto), Mrs. L. E. McMenamy, (Merced), Maud M. Mack and Genevieve Ergo, (Merced), are all in the running, but are letting Los Banos out-distance them quite a bit. However, they all probably have some votes put by that are going to tell later on.

District 5.

Mary Fisher of Hanford leads her district with a big vote. She is con-



Martina Rasmussen

peating with some of the highest in the contest and leaves Armona, Lemoore and some of her town competitors far behind.

Miss Grace Dickie of Lemoore is an unusually bright candidate. She is a new-comer in the race and has shown her energy and enthusiasm since entering, which presages good luck for her in the future.

District 6.

Miss Della Peden of Lindsay reached the 10,000 mark yesterday. She came in just a week ago and has given zest and activity to all of her district. She is a real, live competitor and besides being an active business woman finds time to keep her name at the head of her district. She is a candidate to be justly proud of and Lindsay may well give her its best support.

Mrs. Scott Ballagh of Porterville is another favorite candidate. She has as many friends in Fresno as in Porterville, if not more, and her votes will come easily. Miss Bessie Wilkins, the popular Tulare girl, has changed places with Clarence Burnett of Tulare, taking fifth position. Robert Riols of Dinuba jumps from eighth place to fourth in a single day. He is particularly active and has a host of friends behind him.

The Complete Vote.

The complete list of votes up to 5 p. m. yesterday afternoon is as follows:

District No. 1 (Fresno Inside City)
Mrs. George C. Cobb 148,928
Mrs. Max Hoen 129,108
Fuller Collins 45,296

Stuart Evans	40,744
Ida V. McDonald	35,119
S. George	25,674
Mrs. Curtis Neal	22,526
Violet Cotton	20,239
Minnie Elsie	21,369
Ida Shimmus	19,709
Mrs. Francis Sherman	19,022
Chester Crane	17,453
Ed Freitas	12,313
Ureid Clark	7,769
Mrs. J. A. Thunen	7,109
Claude Jones	4,513
Margaret Jensen	4,542
Ben Beard	4,202
Frank Bagley	3,650
John A. Nowell	3,000
Robert Smith	2,874
Mrs. M. J. Starkey	2,829
Allen Ellis	1,810
Edward Levitt	400
Arthur A. Murphy	300
C. E. French	100
Fred Main	85
Bessie Stinson	5
Alva R. Tweed	1



Mrs. A. Scott Ballagh



Mrs. Lenora Downer Del Rey

District No. 2 (Fresno Outside City)	
F. M. Schuck	84,127
Allen Brewer	71,498
J. Christian	58,302
H. Wilhelm	57,710
M. M. Rutherford	57,013
Harvey Harris	47,142
Martina Rasmussen	42,839
J. N. Poole	32,632
Mrs. Lenora Downer	28,517
William Larsen (Reedley)	25,305
J. E. Jensen	16,458
Della Wells	15,358
Miss Annie E. Hewitt (Clarks)	10,522
Elgin W. Fouliko	10,247
Lula Rutledge	10,044
Elmer Church	7,225
J. R. Green	6,627
Charles Tibbs	6,600
S. L. Thomas	6,017
Henry Young (Selma)	5,537
E. F. Fitzgerald	4,946
Ida E. Nelson	4,600
Eddie Tawney	4,253
Edna Dargen (Sanger)	3,440
Carl Larsen	3,206
Bessie Brooks	3,000
Mrs. M. Kelly	1,000
Frank J. Sanders	2
Mrs. Herman Peyser	1
G. T. White (Ockenden)	1
Mrs. Lizzie Cleveland	1
District No. 3 (Madera County)	
Christina Laraw	34,152
Miss Lucy Price	32,213
Irene Glas	15,505



Irene Glas

Golden-Koonce	13,212
Lorena Phillips Post	5,451
Joe Goode	1,000
Hale Gleason	400
Illian Duncan	301

District No. 4 (Merced and Stanislaus Counties.)

Lesh H. Thomas	\$1,253
Ferd Gosner	5,140
Norman Giesy	2,562
Mrs. L. E. McMenamy	1,700
Maud M. Mack	1,000
Miss Genevieve Ergo (Merced)	1,000
Ruby Cole	1,000
Myrtle May Huddleston (Modesto)	400
Alice Tilden (Turlock)	323

District No. 5 (Kings County.)

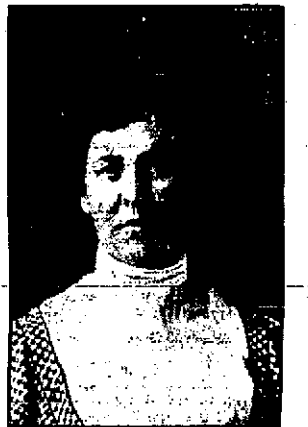
Mary Fisher (Hanford)	51,703
Grace Dickie (Lemoore)	5,443
S. T. Owings (Armona)	603
C. Papallan	100
Ernest Bass (Hanford)	25
Anna Champlin	25

District No. 6 (Tulare and Kern Counties.)

Miss Della Peden (Lindsay)	10,709
Mrs. W. D. Smith	8,406
Arthur Jack	5,000
Mrs. A. Scott Ballagh (Porterville)	6,727
Robert Riols (Pinuba)	2,631
Clarence Burnett (Tulare)	3,057
Bessie Wilkins (Tulare)	2,267
William Voice (Tulare)	2,264
Miss Carrie Fitchbach (Visalia)	500
Miss Hazel Baker (Tulare)	500
Fannie Hulen (Visalia)	300
James M. Chandler	101
Adela Doty	23
Mrs. S. E. Hull (Tulare)	3



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Albert Kearney



Mrs. M. J. Starkey



Hazel Baker



S. George



Allen Ellis



Edward Levitt



Eddie Tawney

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LOST—Saturday night on Merced St., butcher's memorandum book. Notify McHenry Co., cor. 1 and Fresno St. Main 270. Reward.

LOST—Brown note book Friday night on Sunnyvale car. Please leave at this office.

LOST—About a month ago, a lady's black serge jacket; lined with black satin. Apply for reward at 1644 N street.

LOST—Black cocker Spaniel about 8 months old. Finder notify O. F. Lundell, 530 Fortcamp. Main 2487. Reward.

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\$1850—23 acres, 4 room house, barn and windmill, \$1100 cash; balance on time at 7 per cent.

\$1200—2 room house with good summer kitchen, 2 lots, small barn, chicken yard.

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35000
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20-acre orange grove 4 years old
A snap at the price!
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SELMA LAND CO.
220 acres in subdivisions adjoining the famous Loretta vineyard 5 miles east of Selma; partly built bearing vineyard. Thompson in seedling, young malaga vines, young orchard and some vacant ground. Let us show you the property. We know we can sell it to you. The tract will be known as the Heald & Jones property.

140 acres 1/4 mile northeast of Selma; 53 acres bearing Muscat vines, 14 acres bearing Zinfandel, 20 acres bearing Malaga, 20000 trays; good house and barn.

120 acres fine unimproved land 2 miles from town.

40 acres 1/4 mile south of Farther; 15 acres bearing Muscat vines, 5 acres bearing Malaga, 2 acres young Muscats, 8 acres 2 and 4 year old peaches and apricots; small house, large barn, farming implements and team; vines produced over \$10000 per year.

40 acres 1/4 mile northeast of Selma; 15 acres bearing Muscat vines, 20 acres bearing Zinfandel, 5 acres peaches and apricots; small house and good barn.

20 acres adjoining the town of Selma; 13 acres 2 year old peaches, 7 acres alfalfa, good barn; deep white ash soil; no alkali.

WANTED—Persons having homestead right to address for information.

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FOR SALE—Elegant new 8 room house; all modern improvements; cement walks, 2 lots; Blackstone avenue; \$3750; terms.

35 acres in vines, trees, alfalfa, mostly 4 years old; new house, with bath, implements, etc. \$5000, 1/2 cash; snap.

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240 acres, \$100 per acre.
240 acres, \$100 per acre.
300 acres, \$75 per acre.
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1120 acres, \$4 per acre.
2533 acres, \$10 per acre.

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80 acres, vines and trees, \$24,000.
20 acres dairy ranch, \$4000.
20 acres, vines and trees, \$5000.
20 acres alfalfa, \$2500.
40 acres, vines, \$15,000.
110 acres, 55 acres in vines, \$30,250.
Cottages in city ranging from \$500 to \$5000; all well located.

McAFEE & SWINDALL, Phone Main 735.

40 ACRES—excellent soil in orange belt only \$45 per acre.

50 acres orange land; very rich dry bog, \$40 per acre.

\$1250—20 acres best orange land, Porterville district, with water and 5 acres of Washington Natives.

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FOR SALE—\$20000 a six room hard finished house; lot 55x150; barn, lawn, grape arbor, bath, pantry; a nice cozy home. You can pay part cash, the balance like rent—inquire 190 West Ave., Cor. Sumner Ave.

300 ACRES—Worthington tract subdivided into 20 acre lots. This tract is all in alfalfa in first class condition and selling for \$100 per acre, one of the first selections of the famous Bank Trust, therefore on sale at the best. Only a few more lots left. Buy now before the price is raised. For further particulars call or address G. H. WELTZ, 1945 Tulare St., Fresno.

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8 ACRES orchard and vine, 10 acres alfalfa, fully equipped with buildings, farming implements, stock, poultry, rigs and other articles. Located 6 miles out, \$5500, 1-2 cash. No 36.

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7 ROOM, 2 story house, windmill, tank, adobe cellar, barn and out buildings; 25 acres vines; 2 acres orchard, orange grove around house, hot and cold water, good water rights, trays and boxes, farming implements. See this before buying elsewhere. No. 21.

112 ACRES NEAR KUTNER COLONY

20 ACRES Muscats, 43 acres Malagas, balance grain land. House, barn, windmill and tank and outbuildings, good water rights, trays, boxes and implements. Price \$150 per acre, 1-3 cash, balance to suit buyer. No. 26.

80 ACRES WITH BUILDINGS

60 ACRES alfalfa fenced, 7 acres Thompson Seedless, 13 acres orchard, good buildings; 33 milch cows, 23 heifers, calves and 3 horses, 5 down chickens and geese, all implements and place, \$8000 cash, balance good terms. No. 19.

73 ACRES AMERICAN COLONY

5 ACRES vines, 5 acres alfalfa, balance alfalfa pasture, good buildings of all kinds, some stock. \$5500, 1-4 cash. No. 38.

44 ACRES UNIMPROVED

GOOD water rights, nice and level, located 3 1/2 miles northwest, \$50 per acre, \$900 cash, balance 5 years.

H. R. SIMPSON & CO., 1005 J St., Fresno, Cal.

FOR SALE—40 acres vineyard in full bearing; Thompson Seedless, 7 acres and Imperators; heavy red soil; 3 miles from city; \$2000 cash, balance long time; can be easily paid from production.

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FOR SALE by owners. Section unimproved land near Lone Star; in subdivisions. Apply to W. A. Conn, Fiske Block.

FOR SALE—By owner, 3 houses on M St. and one house on San Pablo; 5 acres on car line planned to peaches; a lot on N St.; 5 lots on Grand avenue park; 11 acres unimproved in Arizona Colony; these are bargains. 1123 J.

YOUNG 20 acre vineyard, \$3500.

\$1500 cash; balance buy time; 40 acres 1/4 mile east of city; growing alfalfa; reasonable price; good terms; three city residences, close in; one 6 room place, five lots; fine shade; one block from car line and school; one seven room place; 3-4 acre of land, adjoining in the real estate line. See Lowrey, the salesman at E. M. Chittenden & Co.

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FOR SALE—3 roomed residence; finely situated on elegant lot; must be sold; forced sale price. For particulars apply to owner, box 1022, Fresno.

FOR SALE—Real Estate

REAL ESTATE—Agents have you a customer for this, one of the best buys in Tulare county—792 acres extra choice orange and grape land; 1-3 miles east of Oroville; 5 miles from railroad station, accessible to electric power; in a cove in the famous Stokes valley; 600 acres good orange and grape land; balance hill slope, abundance of water; on the main El Monte way leading to General Grant and Sierra National parks. No better land in California; adjacent to highly developed country; absolutely in frontless belt. Land near this body selling for \$75 to \$150 in tracts. Price \$40 per acre. GEO. W. BISHVELL, Oroville, Cal.

FOR SALE—

20 acres, 2 miles to Fresno, improved, \$2000.

20 acres 1-2 miles to Fresno; improved; \$1000.

40 acres, 3 miles to Fresno; improved; \$5000.

50 acres; fine alfalfa; pumping plant; \$5000.

5 acre suburban home; 1-2 mile out; \$1250.

5 acres; 1 mile out; fine soil; all planted; \$3100.

We have a good list of Fresno city dwellings; also some of the best improved 40 acre ranches. You should see them.

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FOR SALE—60 acres; 15 acres Thompson Seedless; 10 acres orchard; 15 acres alfalfa; 20 unimproved; horses; wagon; buggy; implements, etc.; price \$1900.

40 acres; 20 acres Zinfandel and 20 acres Thompson Seedless; a snap; price \$7500.

40 acres unimproved land; \$55 per acre.

15 acres; all improved in vines and trees; good house, barn, etc. Price \$1000.

5 acres; 1-2 miles from Fresno. Price \$375; your own terms.

CRETCHER & HANSEN, 1005 J Street.

FOR SALE—50 acres one mile south and one-half mile west of

Sanger; partly in vines, which paid nearly \$100 this year to the acre; you can get \$2500 if taken by first of November; not for sale after. C. Schlussermeyer, Sanger, Cal.

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FOR SALE—

\$8000—40 acres bearing Muscats, east of Fresno, brought \$3200 this year. No. 692.

\$2250 per acre—160 acres partly improved, 10 miles northeast of Visalia 20 acres in apricots, brought \$1300 this year; balance adapted for vines citrus and deciduous fruits; good buildings, only 1-2 miles from proposed electric car line. No. 722.

A GENTLEMAN'S COUNTRY HOME

\$14,500—40 acres highly improved, 3 miles from Fresno city limits, vines and trees from 3 to 7 years old, large barn, 2 story house, 8 rooms, all controls thousands of acres of outside range. The land is especially adapted for apples and pears; elevation 3000 feet; Los Angeles country; will trade for Fresno city or county property. For further particulars apply to L. HELLERSON CO., 1217 J Street.

J. H. RAFFERTY & CO., 1406 Tulare St.

FOR SALE—Or exchange for country property, a nice residence on North K St. Main 115.

FOR SALE—By owner, 6-room cottage; breezy location; gas, electricity, bath, toilet, hot and cold water, \$2500; easy terms. Main 1127.

FOR SALE—

40 acres sub-irrigated alfalfa land, 6 miles west of Fresno, \$2000. Your own terms.

160 acres 2 miles west of Kearney, \$25 per acre.

320 acres in the Fresno Irrigated Farms district, with water right, \$35 per acre.

320 acres—with water—right—8 miles south of Fresno, \$20 per acre.

20 acres 3 miles northwest of Clovis, \$700; \$175 down; balance in 3 years.

20 acres 6 miles north of Fresno, \$700; easy terms.

20 acres 6 miles northeast of Fresno, \$500; \$100 down; balance in 5 years.

1054 J Street. Phone Main 861.

FOR SALE—5 acres in peach trees; 1 block east of Fortcamp on Olive Ave.

GOOD VINEYARD AND ORCHARD.

4 acres full bearing vines, 2 years old; 11 acres full bearing grapes; 10 acres old; 10 acres 2 years old; family orchard, 100 trees, bearing; 2 acres alfalfa; good 5 room house; water piped in house; good barn 24x40; sheds on both sides; chicken house, \$10,000, \$6000 cash.

3 room house, 2 lots, \$500, part cash.

3 room house, 1/2 acre lot, \$850; terms.

A. W. JOHNSON, 1248 Tulare St.

FOR SALE—By the owner, 20 acre ranch, 7 room house, barn, etc.; 10 acres Zinfandel grapes; 500 peach trees, oranges, lemons, grape fruit, apples, plums, apricots, prune, almond, olive and fig trees, in home garden; perfectly level, rich alfalfa soil; all fruit delivered in Clovis 1 1/2 miles; high and grade school. R. Bath, Clovis.

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Four fine 20 acre improved home places just listed, two of them close to town; vines and trees; prices \$5500 to \$6500.

A fine forty acre vineyard in best district, 2 miles north of Barton road 7 miles from Fresno; price \$5500.

A fine 70 acres in best soil in Kutner Colony; Muscats and Zinfandels, with some peaches; owner claims tonnage of 2 tons of raisins to acre this year's crop.

In the Lindsay district we offer a fine 2 year old 20 acre orange orchard, at a snap; owner, non-resident, wishes quick turn.

Also in Lindsay district, land for orange planting from \$5 to \$100 an acre on terms.

114 acres in Lone Star; best Muscat district; in 40's and 60's or as a whole.

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FOR SALE—Real Estate

FOR SALE—4 very desirable lots; 2 on Poplar Ave. near school, \$2525; 2 on Calaveras Ave. near McKenzie, one block from car line, \$550. Address C. H. H. Klatt, Fresno.

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McCall road and Centerville road. Some of the best tree and vineyard land in the county. Selling like hot cakes, \$65 to \$80 per acre, 1-4 cash, balance in 5 years time, 8 per cent interest in 40 acre tracts and upwards. Close to railroad and schools.

\$3750—Fine modern house of 9 rooms on Clark St., good shade, fine stable, excellent location.

\$2350—Modern house, 5 rooms, O St., near High school, rents for \$25.

\$1550—Nice home in East Fresno, near school and electric cars.

151-2 acres, \$3000—Near Centerville. Malagas, peaches and apples, free water, trays, boxes, etc.; terms.

100 acres raw land near McKinley school, \$3500 for vine or trees. Will trade for desirable city property.

20 acres, \$1500—15 acres peaches and 5 acres 1-2 miles from town, buildings, trays, boxes, chickens, cow. Fine property, easy terms.

20 acres, \$3750—Kutner Colony; 17 acres in vines, 3 acres in figs. Nice young place with good income, half cash.

40 acres, \$12,000—Near Barton vineyard, full bearing Muscats and Malagas, \$4000 crop this year; buildings, trays, boxes; fine property close in, and a money maker.

40 acres—Scandinavian Colony, \$12,000. Extra good place, 25 acres vines 19 acres peaches, 1 acre alfalfa, buildings, trays, boxes, well kept up, place with good income. Fine investment.

LINDSAY ORANGE LAND—

The famous "Strathmore" lands near Lindsay, the very finest land for citrus fruits in the district. In large and small tracts from \$55 to \$100 per acre. Abundant water and first class soil.

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FOR SALE—\$1550; four room house in good repair, with carpets, tables and cook stove, on corner lot 50x150 feet; twelve fine large umbrella trees, several peach trees, figs and other fruit; this property is situated in a good locality. Terms: W. H. Brown, 1151 J St.

FOR SALE—40 acres; 34 acres in heavy bearing alfalfa; 6 acres in young fruit orchard. \$4500. Phone Main 1221; 1420 M St.

FOR SALE—40 acres vines and trees, first-class land, buildings; \$10,500; terms.

A fine stock ranch on the river at a very low price and easy terms.

20 acres solid muscats, \$5000; a good buy; part cash.

Land in the new Dundak colony from \$25 to \$35 per acre on part payment.

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WANTED—Miscellaneous

WANTED—100 dozen hens and young roosters. Jack Bros., 150 1/2 St. Telephone Main 647.

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WANTED—A good 20 or 40 acre farm improved or partially improved to vines or orchard. Give full particulars and terms. Address P. O. Box 415.

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WANTED—Four fresh cows; must be good milkers. Canham, phone State 2335 from 7 to 9 a. m. or p. m.

WANTED—50 shoats, weight about 70 pounds. Bevins, Canby, Cal.

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WANTED—Situations

WANTED—Work by steady man; stableman and gardener. R. R. No. 2, Box 48, Selma.

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CENTRAL CALIFORNIA LODGE No. 342—Meets Thursday, 8 p. m., I. O. O. F. hall.

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AUCTION SALE—Saturday, Oct. 26th, of 43 head of all purpose horses. O. W. Kunkle, 740 J St., N. Y. Clough, auctioneer.

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FOR SALE—2 span of fine draft horses, 1 span of mules, 1 span of young mares, suitable for work or driving purposes. Mono Stables, Phone Main 915.

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WANTED—To buy 6 good lively horses; wanted to sell 4 good second hand bugles, also a carload of unbroken horses and car full good work horses. Crescent Stables, Phone Main 482. J. H. Kelley.

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FOR SALE—One good saddle horse 5 years old and a good saddle. One horse that will ride and drive. Cor. 1 and San Benito Sts. Har's transfer barn.

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FOR SALE—A horse. Inquire of Mr. Hicks, at Barlett-Hicks Co.

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HELP WANTED—Male

WANTED—A good real estate man who can handle both city and country property, on salary or commission. Address Box 112, Fresno.

WANTED—Laborers for saw mill and lumber yard at Millwood; good wages and stage fare paid from Sanger. Hume Bennett Lumber Co., Sanger.

WANTED—First-class stock salesman; lady or gentleman can make \$200 per week. W. H. Brown, 1153 I St.

BRICK-LAYERS WANTED—Our big burned district must be built with stone and brick. We own nearly all the open property lots, and acres; we will sell 30 per cent less than lowest cash value for spot cash to help us build; mechanics wanted. Call on us at our new depot at 410th. De Witt Co.

YOUNG men and women to prepare for higher positions; advertising and shorthand taught free; write today for particulars. Oakland Correspondence School, Oakland, Cal.

WANTED—An experienced man for dry goods department; good wages. M. Brady & Co., Fowler.

WANTED—Competent cooper at once; long job. Rounding Olive Co.

WANTED—Choreman on vineyard, \$35 per month and found. Phone 385. 2424.

WANTED—Grocery delivery man; must have experience; reference from former employer required; none other need apply. Address Box 2777, Fresno, Cal.

WANTED—Representative to sell stock of best mine in our district. Liberal commission. Duluth Con. Mining Company, Box 81, Reno, Nev.

MEN to learn barber trade; wages while learning; constant practice; expert instructions; positions secured; catalogue free. Moter System College, No. 6 Eleventh St., San Francisco.

JAPANESE HELP—Labor contracting, Kamikawa Bros., G and Kern Sts. Tel. Main 38.

QUONG MOW LUNG—Billy Joe, manager. Chinese labor furnished; 1025 G. China 12.

BOYS AND MEN WANTED to catch frogs. Prices from \$3 to \$4 per dozen. For particulars, address E. Beck & Co., 1481 Steiner St., San Francisco, Cal.

STONE'S EMPLOYMENT OFFICE—Best help furnished. 1054 I St. Phone Main 115.

HEALD'S BUSINESS COLLEGE, cor. J and Merced Sts., offers superior advantages to night students in bookkeeping, shorthand, typewriting and preparatory branches.

MEN and boys wanted to learn plumbing, plastering, bricklaying, day and night classes. Free cash positions secured. No book learning. Coyne Trade School, 230-240 5th street, San Francisco and New York.

HELP WANTED—Female

WANTED—Experienced girl for general house work. 1455 M street.

WANTED—A 1 dressmaker's helper; also an apprentice at 2022 Tuolumne. A Stone, 2022 Tuolumne.

WANTED—Young lady stenographer; salary \$40 per month. Address R. C. Box 36.

WANTED—One dressmaker's helper; also an apprentice at 2022 Tuolumne.

WANTED—Girl for light house work. Apply 1357 M St.

WANTED—Experienced women for head of wrapping dept. Strong boy to assist window trimmer. Apply today to Mr. Hart, Reddicks.

WANTED—An experienced girl, good wages, steady employment. Call mornings at 644 Northpark Ave.

WANTED—Five fancy goods salesladies; must understand their business; steady positions at good salaries. Apply Gottschalks.

WANTED—Experienced seeder crews at Malaga Packing Co., Malaga, California.

WANTED—Competent girl to do cooking and housework; good wages. 1007 R.

WANTED—Experienced ironers at Fresno Steam Laundry.

WANTED—Girl to do general house work. Apply to Butler vineyard to Mrs. Wiley M. Griffin, or Sub. 2494.

WANTED—Girl to do general housework; two in family. Apply 1622 J.

WANTED—Girl to do general housework at 1622 J st.; no children.

SALES LADIES wanted at once. E. P. Charlton, 936 J st.

WANTED—Women and girls to work in packing house. Tents-furnished. Madison & Bonner.

HATS made and trimmed; your own material used, by Miss Glenn; 1730 J street. Main 1263.

MISCELLANEOUS

I WANT to invest \$500 in a good proposition. What have you to offer? Address B, Box 36, Republican.

THE Y. M. C. A. Night School offers a six month course in any of the following subjects: Architectural and mechanical drawing, bookkeeping, penmanship, business, English, arithmetic. Classes begin October 29th and meet two evenings a week. Mr. C. Kirby, the well-known architect, and Prof. F. M. Filstone, at the head of the commercial department at the high school, are the instructors. The cost is small. For particulars call at the building, 1350 I street, or ring up Main 69.

THE New Scavenger Co.—Telephone orders promptly attended to. Family orders a specialty at reasonable prices. Telephone Main 2300; 1223 F street.

MISS HARVEY'S KINDERGARTEN and primary school reopens Sept. 30, Kohler hall. Phone Red 1625.

ESTRAYED

STRAYED OR STOLEN—From 1432 White avenue Tuesday night, one small 3-year-old sorrel mare. R. A. Powell, Room 205 Fortney Building.

ESTRAYED—From 625 Echo Ave., white mare with little brown spots. Finder call Main 1213. R. A. Box 2, Fresno.

ESTRAYED OR STOLEN—Black horse, hitched to an open side-lake truck. Notify E. M. Bishop, phone Main 2628.

ESTRAYED OR STOLEN—From Belmont ranch, 3 black horses. Phone State 755 or Box 721, Fresno.

Commercial

BANK CLEARINGS.

Clearings of the Fresno city banks, for October 16, 1907, according to the figures of the Fresno Clearing House:

Morning	\$53,200.19
Afternoon	79,889.61
Total	\$133,089.80

EASTERN QUOTATIONS

CHICAGO, Oct. 23.—A large export business today offset the demoralized condition in the stock market and caused a strong close to the wheat market here. The final quotations left December wheat 1-1/8 higher. Corn was up 3-4 @ 7-8. Oats were half lower.

The wheat market was nervous all day and has many sharp declines and upturns. The important influence struggled for the control. The one was the eastern financial situation, and the local fear of possible complications growing out of it, the other being the strength of the foreign market, and the evident disposition of foreigners to buy December wheat, opened when wheat 1-1/8 higher at 99 3-4 and closed strong at 1.01 1-2. Clearances of wheat and flour were equal to 737,000 bushels. Primary receipts were 1,138,000 bushels against 837,000 on the same day last year.

The corn market in general followed the lead of wheat, although the situation in the cash market was different. December corn opened 1-8 lower to 1-8 higher at 57 1-4 to 57 1-2, sold between 57 1-4 to 58 1-4 and closed strong at 58 1-4. Local receipts were 192 cars with 54 of contract grade.

The oats market was the same all day. December oats opened 1-2 to 5-8 lower at 51 1-8 to 51 3-4, sold between 50 3-4 @ 7-8 and 51 5-8 and closed at 51 3-4. Local receipts were 205 cars.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 25.—Wheat quiet; December 1.75 3-4; 1.75a; 1.75c; cash 1.65.

Barley quiet; December 1.65; May 1.75; cash 1.65.

Corn nominal large yellow 1.70 @ 1.75.

ST. LOUIS.—Wool steady; territory and western mediums 20 @ 25; fine

FOR SALE—Miscellaneous

FOR SALE—Green olives 3 miles east of town on Tulare Ave. or Phone State 2015.

FOR SALE—At a bargain: one new rubber tire top buggy; also a good driving horse; can be seen at the Arcade Stable. Phone Main 345.

FOR SALE—Gas range 1500 ft. piano; new; for sale cheap 1520 J St.

FOR SALE—Cheap; horse and buggy and fresh milk cow. 273 Jensen Ave.

FOR SALE—Delivery wagons; horse, harness, meat fixtures, scales, cold storage plant, ice chest, ice box, stove fixtures; bargains. Apply to H. C. Katze, Reddicks.

FOR SALE—One 1905 Cadillac automobile, slightly used, half price. H. Thorvaldsen, 1920 Tulare St.

FOR SALE—200 ft. of 6 in. irrigating pipe in 5 ft. joints. Address L. D. Reburn, Enterprise Col., R. R. 8.

A LARGE and small fire proof safe, cheap. Box 48, L.

FOR SALE—Volunteer hay in the stack. Cheap at the Bonner vineyard.

FOR SALE—Surrey and harness cheap. Call between 5 and 6 on Sundays. Cor. Cherry and Railroad Aves. Price \$50.

FOR RENT—until Jan. 1, 50 acre crop of standing alfalfa. Apply N. W. Bostick, Belmont avenue, 1 1/2 miles west of Fresno.

TABLE and canning grapes for sale, delivered, 75c per box. Call up State 2344.

FOR SALE—Cheap; a complete set of blacksmithing tools, forges, fire benches, etc.—a good chance for a blacksmith. Address at once, C. B. Evans, Carriage Co., 1238 K St., Fresno, Cal.

FOR SALE—Phaeton and spring wagon, or trade for a cow or horse. Phone State 1925.

FOR SALE—One Enterprise electric coffee mill, good as new. Dorsey Robinson Co.

FOR SALE—One 20-horse-power traction engine in good shape. Address H. C. Wood, Reddick.

FOR SALE—Six sets of second-hand work harness at Lyon's Bole Co., 1142 J St.

FOR SALE—Cheap wagon with flat rack, good as new; high road wagon; single and double harness; 150 eucalyptus posts, well seasoned. Address G. H. Davenport, R. R. No. 1, or apply Trudwell ranch, Temperance Col.

FOR SALE—12 in. oak wood in 3, 4 and 7 cord lots. Address A. M. Thomas, Phone M. 1016.

ALFALFA HAY for sale in stack or delivered first cutting. Call Main 1322.

FOR SALE—10 head of young well-bred mares and six colts. Also horse and buggy for sale. Sampth Bros., City Stables, 1920 Merced St., Main 484.

FOR SALE—2000 tons of good stock hay, with water and fine range. Apply to Kearney Vineyard Co., Kearney Park.

CHOICE chrysanthemums, 363 Glenn Ave. Phone main 2998.

CHEAP FUEL for sale. Apriest shells (all sacked). Main 2879, 1223 P St.

FOR SALE—Extra quality grain and alfalfa hay, delivered in town or country. Hay Market Co., J and Kern Sts., Phone Main 353.

FOR SALE—Almost new Indian motorcycle. Room 314 Land 63. Lida.

FOR SALE—Pumpkins—cheap—at the Anchor Creek Nursery. Phone Main 99. 1225 J St.

FOR SALE—Second-hand bicycles from \$1 up. Hanford Cycles, 1233 I St.

FOR SALE—Baled barley hay, \$2.00 per ton Main 116.

FOR SALE—Baling wire at Farmers Hay Market. J. B. Hill, Prop.

FOR SALE—Oak wood. 500 cords dry oak wood, Kings river bottom, in quantities to suit. Apply G. H. Hopkins on Dorsey-Robinson Co. Fresno.

THE RETAIL MARKETS

NEW YORK, Oct. 23.—Sugar raw steady; ref. refining 3.40; centrifugal 96 test 3.90; molasses sugar 3.05.

Refined steady; crushed 3.70; powdered 3.10; granulated 3.00.

Fruits and Vegetables.

Lemons—25 @ 30c. doz.

Apples—6 @ 10c.

Strawberries—10c.

Cantaloupes—2 for 10c.

Watermelons—1c to 25c.

Grapes—10c.

Pears—50 lb.

Cocoanuts—10c each.

Navel Oranges—25c and 40c doz.

Bananas—30c per dozen.

New Potatoes—2 to 2 1/2 c per lb.

Potatoes—2c.

Cabbage—2c lb.

Lettuce—10c bunch.

Celery—5c; 3 for 10c.

Squash—10c lb.

Paranips—2 1/2 c per lb.

Onion sets, 2 lbs. for 35c.

Turnips—2 1/2 c per bunch.

Carrots—2 1/2 c per bunch.

Green corn—30c dozen.

Tomatoes—2c lb.

Egg Plants—2 for 5c.

Sweet Beans—30 lb.

Sweet Potatoes—2 1/2 c lb.

Horse Radish Roots—25c lb.

Beets—2 lb. 5c.

Cucumbers—6 for 5c.

Mill Stuffs.

Wheat—\$1.75 rk., \$20 ton.

Barley—1.30 @ 1.35 sk.; \$33 ton.

Corn Meal—35c per 10 lb. sack.

Graham Meal—35c per 10 lb. sack.

Egyptian Corn—41.75 per 100; ton \$30.

Brass—\$1 per sack; \$27 per ton.

Flour—\$1.55 to \$1.70.

Middlings—\$1.50 sk., \$23 per ton.

Ground Alfalfa—35c per 10-lb sack.

Oil Meal—45c per 10-lb sack.

Rye Meal—35c per 10-lb sack.

Butter, Eggs and Honey.

Butter—90c per roll.

Colony Butter—40c roll.

Eggs—40c doz.; 2 for 75c.

Combed Honey—15c comb.

Fresh Meats.

Beefsteak—10c to 20c lb; roast, 10c to 15c lb.

Mutton—10c to 20c per lb.

Lamb—15c to 20c per lb.

Pork—10c to 20c per lb.

Veal—10c to 20c per lb.

Lard—15c to 18c per lb.

Steak—4 1/2 c to 7 1/2 c lb.

Veal—4c to 7c per lb.

Chickens—Broilers, dressed, 35 to 40c per lb; alive 20 to 25c per lb.

Turkeys—Dressed, 30c per lb; alive 25c per lb.

Chickens—Dressed hen, 25c to 30c per lb; alive, 10c to 20c per lb.

Chickens—Fryers, dressed, 35 to 40c per lb; alive, 25c to 30c per lb.

REALTY TRANSACTIONS IN RECORDED FILINGS

Quit Claim Deeds Made to Holdings of the Big Four Oil Mining Company.

Louis Johnson has deeded to Samuel Pettit for \$3,500 the east one-half of the southeast one-quarter of the southeast one-quarter of section 26-14-21. The property has been mortgaged to Johnson for \$1,600 and the transaction of Pettit to Johnson has been recorded in the office of the Superior Court of Fresno County, State of California, on Tuesday, November 12, 1907, at 1 o'clock p. m. for the election of officers and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

C. C. GODDELL, Secretary.

Notice of Sale of Real Estate at Private Sale by Guardian.

In the Superior Court of Fresno County, State of California.

In the Matter of the Guardianship of the Person and Estate of Lucy Wood, an Incompetent Person.

Notice is hereby given, that, in pursuance of an order of the Superior Court of Fresno County, State of California, made on August 22, 1907, in the matter of the guardianship of the person and estate of Lucy Wood, an incompetent person, the undersigned, Mary A. McCullah, guardian of said person and estate of said Lucy Wood, to the highest bidder, for cash in United States gold coin, subject to the confirmation of the said Superior Court, on or after the 25th day of October, 1907, all of the right, title, interest and estate of said Lucy Wood, incompetent, of, in and to all those tracts of land situated in Fresno County, State of California, and particularly described as follows, to-wit: The East half of the Southeast quarter of Section 27, in Township 17 North, Range 21 East, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian.

The North half of the South west quarter, and the South-east quarter of the Northwest quarter of Section 3, and also the North-east quarter of the South-east quarter of Section 4, in Township 14 South, of Range 27 East, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian.

The Northwest quarter of Section 20, in Township 17 South, of Range 20 East, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Filed for Record During Last Twenty-four Hours

W. M. McDaniel and wife to Fronte E. Bell—Lot 43 and N. 1/2 of 41, block 3, re-subdivision of lot 3, Altamont addition, Fresno; \$10.

J. G. Martin and wife to W. M. McDaniel—Lot 43 and N. 1/2 of 41, block 3, re-subdivision of Altamont addition; \$10.

Mabel H. DeWitt to J. R. and W. H. Ball—three lots 325, 326 and 327, Sierra Vista Park; \$25.

L. A. Wagner and wife to Continental Building and Loan Association—N. 1/2 of lot 12, and S. 1/2 of lot 13, block 1, Kleiter's addition, Fresno; \$10.

Mabel H. DeWitt to First Christian Church of Clavis—Lots 31 and 32, blk. 17, Clavis; \$10.

J. C. Gifford and wife and L. E. Gifford and wife to Nels J. Beck—Lots 5 and 10, block 21, Linton; \$800.

The Balfour Guthrie Investment Co. to John Angell—9.33 acres in lot 22, Indianola Colony; \$10.

Henry Schefer and wife to Adam Lehman—Lots 5 and 6, block 234, Fresno; \$10.

Samuel Smith and wife to Louise L. Rieckler—Lot 14, North Vista Tract; \$10.

Wm. N. Conklin and wife to D. H. Trowbridge and J. Q. Anderson—Lots 20, 21, 22 and 23, block 18, Linton; \$10.

W. R. Culbertson to Continental Building and Loan Association—Four lots 1, 2, 3 and 4, of S. W. 1/4 of N. E. 1/4 of section 4, township 20 S., range 15 E. \$10.

John A. Frazer to F. J. Crawford—S. 1/2 of lot 4, Norris Colony; \$10.

Notice of Assessment

Ulica Oil Company—Location of principal place of business, Fresno, California; location of works, Kings Canyon District, Kings County, California.

Notice of Assessment: Notice is hereby given that at a regular meeting of the Board of Directors of the Ulica Oil Company, held on October 14th, 1907, an assessment of one (1) cent per share was levied upon the capital stock of the corporation, payable immediately in United States gold coin to the secretary thereof, at the office of said corporation, in room 309, Land Company building, in the City of Fresno, County of Fresno, State of California.

Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on the 20th day of November, 1907, will be delinquent and advertised for sale at public auction, and unless payment is made before, will be sold December 10th, 1907, with its cost of advertisement and expenses of sale.

By order of the Board of Directors, GEORGE COSGRAVE, Secretary Ulica Oil Company, Location of office: Room 309, Land Company building, Fresno, Cal.

Notice to Contractors.

Office of the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of Fresno County, Fresno, Cal., Oct. 14, 1907.

Pursuant to an order of the Board of Supervisors, duly made and entered on its minutes on October 8th, 1907.

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of Fresno County, at its city office, until two o'clock p. m. of Tuesday, the 26th day of November, 1907, for paving Railroad avenue, from the south line of the intersection of Cherry avenue, with coarse gravel, crushed rock screenings and crude oil, in accordance with the plans and specifications heretofore adopted therefor and now on file in the office of the said board, to which bidders are hereby referred.

A certified check in the sum of ten per cent of the amount bid, made payable to the chairman of the board, must accompany each bid.

The board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

All bids must be sealed and addressed to the clerk of the board and marked "Bid for Paving Railroad Avenue."

W. G. MILES, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of Fresno County, California.

By A. D. EWING, Deputy.

Notice to Architects and Contractors

Pursuant to an order of the Board of Trustees of the Dos Palos joint union high school district, duly made and entered on the minutes of said board on the 18th day of October, 1907, notice is hereby given that competitive plans and specifications will be received for the construction of a brick or re-inforced concrete high school building at Dos Palos, Merced County, Cal., said building to be two stories high, with basement above ground and to contain six class and recitation rooms, assembly hall, physical laboratory, chemical laboratory, library room, office, etc. Approximate cost \$20,000. Plans and specifications to be submitted to this board not later than November 10th, 1907, at which time the said board will consider the same and anyone so submitting plans and specifications will be heard at said time.

The board reserves the right to reject any and all plans and specifications then and there submitted.

FRANK B. MARKE, Clerk of Board of Trustees.

That Old Truss

Does your more harm than good if it creaks all the time? Try the best and latest at Smith Bros' drug store. It's guaranteed by expert fitters.

Notice to Creditors

In the Superior Court of the County of Fresno, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of George A. Pilegard, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, Carrie Pilegard, administratrix of the estate of George A. Pilegard, deceased, to the creditors and all persons having claims against said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within ten months after the first publication of this notice, to said administratrix at the office of E. B. Harris & E. M. Harris, in the First National Bank building in the City of Fresno, County of Fresno, State of California, the same being the place for the transaction of business of said estate in the County of Fresno, State of California.

Dated: October 15th, 1907.

CARRIE PILEGARD, Administratrix of the Estate of George A. Pilegard, deceased.

M. B. Harris & E. M. Harris, attorneys for administratrix.

Notice to Creditors

In the Superior Court of the County of Fresno, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Lamer West, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, administratrix of the estate of Lamer West, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administratrix at the office of W. A. Conn, attorney at law, rooms 4 and 5, Fiske Block, in the City of Fresno, County of Fresno, State of California, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of the said estate.

GEORGIA A. WEST, Administratrix of the Estate of Lamer West, deceased.

Dated: September 26, 1907.

W. A. CONN, Attorney for Administratrix.

Notice for Publication.

Department of the Interior, Land Office at Sacramento, Calif., Sept. 16, 1907.

Notice is hereby given that Elizabeth Carter, one of the heirs and for the heirs of John W. Rule, deceased, of San Francisco, Calif., has filed notice of his intention to make final five year proof in support of his claim, viz: Homestead Entry No. 711, made December 18, 1890, for the N. 1/2 of N. W. 1/4 of S. W. 1/4 of N. W. 1/4 of S. W. 1/4 of Section 10, Township 10 S., Range 22 E., M. D. M., and that said proof will be made before the county clerk of Fresno county, at his office in Fresno, Calif., on Saturday, October 26, 1907.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of the land: viz: T. H. Engstrom, Edward Root, T. Ront and W. W. Gibbons, all of Auburn, Fresno County, Calif.

JOHN F. ARMSTRONG, Register.

Notice of Sale

BATTLING CRIME WITH SCIENCE



Measuring Extension of Arms



General Theodore A. Bingham

ALL PHASES OF SCIENTIFIC ATTAINMENT TURNED TO ADVANTAGE IN THE NEW YORK DETECTIVE BUREAU'S GREAT CRUSADE AGAINST BRAINY CRIMINALS

Measuring the Ear



Taking the Finger Prints



The Scientific Criminal

SINCE General Theodore A. Bingham became police commissioner of the city of New York the detective bureau attached to headquarters has been practically revolutionized. Much of the tradition preserved so tenaciously has been discarded. A new organization has sprung up almost like magic, and its sole endeavor seems to be the discovery and adoption of methods that will meet the complex and scientific features of the crime of today.

When General Bingham accepted the huge responsibility of maintaining a fair semblance of law and order among the various nationalities represented in New York's composite population he began by making a careful survey of the field. Practiced soldier that he is, it did not take long for him to make up his mind as to what an ideal detective bureau should be. He realized that it should be composed of men not only letter perfect as to the natural history of criminals, but also of those who were conversant with languages, toxicology, chemistry, microscopy, mathematics, electric science, anthropology, psychology and multitudinous of other things which concern man and his activities.

If General Bingham had made public this long list of requirements demanded by the necessity of the case, he would have met with prompt dissent and possibly derision. He kept his own counsel, but went immediately to work to bring about the realization of his ideal. It was a bold undertaking and one fraught with abundant uncertainty. He did not, of course, begin his regime by making an instant and clean sweep of all the favored methods of his predecessors. Some of these means of unweaving criminality were of the end justifies the means order, but they were entrenched so firmly by long usage and a record of more or less edi-

cient outcome that it was no easy matter to dislodge them.

The Stool Pigeon System.

One of these was the so-called "stool pigeon" system. In the days of the famous Inspector Byrne the scheme was at its apogee, and it was operated with an apparent degree of efficiency that was truly astonishing. At that time criminals had certain well established rendezvous all over the large cities—concert gardens, saloons and all sorts of disreputable places of resort. Enlisted in this secret service—for it was that to the full extent of the term—were liquor dealers, gambling house proprietors, waiters in concert halls, broken down sports and petty thieves.

The late Henry Ward Beecher once had an opportunity to test the perfect working of the system. One morning while crossing on the ferryboat to New York his watch was taken from his pocket. He reported the matter to the police without delay, and Inspector Byrne sent a couple of his men to recover the property, with instructions to do so immediately. The distinguished pastor of Plymouth church overheard the instructions and expressed his surprise that the inspector should have made them so explicit and peremptory.

"Oh, that's all right, Mr. Beecher," laughed the inspector. "I'm very sorry to detain you, but if you will wait here a little while you shall have your watch."

Mr. Beecher replied that he had business in another part of the city.

"Then drop it when you have finished it," the chief suggested.



Taking the Cephalic Index



Measuring the Little Finger

This great preacher did two hours later. His watch awaited him and was returned to its amazed owner without a word of explanation.

A Modern Instance.

In marked contrast with this vivid example of the old way of managing crime is the following instance of modern scientific lawbreaking brought to light by an intelligence equally scientific in its working.

Two men, in the employ of the pool company had taken a room in the attic and were conducting a series of experiments. When the detectives learned this they concluded that they were on the right track. The mere possession of a wireless outfit, however, is no infraction of the law, and something further was necessary.

who were expert electricians. Two of them were assigned to the case, and they stationed themselves in the vicinity of the race track unobserved by the lawbreakers. On the roof of a cottage near by one of the detectives discovered a wire mounted on a pole. It was inconspicuous and would have escaped the attention of any one not an electrical expert.

Inquiry at the cottage elicited the information that two men who claimed to be in the employ of a wireless telegraph company had taken a room in the attic and were conducting a series of experiments. When the detectives learned this they concluded that they were on the right track. The mere possession of a wireless outfit, however, is no infraction of the law, and something further was necessary.

The detectives were equal to the emergency. With their knowledge of matters electrical it was an easy matter for them to contrive an apparatus that would intercept any message sent from the top of the cottage. They made the trial, and the outcome was perfectly satisfactory. The results of the several races came along in excellent shape.

Now all that was necessary was for the clever detectives to proceed to the spot and capture their men.

Pro Bono Publico.

Another ingenious and morally deficient rascal had been cheating the electric meter. He devised a contrivance by means of which a consumer of electricity could get a maximum service for a minimum cost. It took long and pa-

tient experimentation before he learned how to do the trick, not to mention the expense it involved, but he accomplished it finally. The machine made a great hit. It seemed to be exactly what the consumers of electricity had desired long and ardently. From the first the public had put little faith in the integrity of the meter furnished by the companies and even less in the companies themselves. Hundreds of persons who would have been outraged at any proposition to commit a direct act of moral turpitude seemed to accept an opportunity to "get even" with the purveyors of electric power without a qualm.

Of course the companies discovered that something had happened to their meters. They suspected criminal interference and notified the central office. One of its electrical experts was sent to investigate. He found that the meter had been tampered with, that when it was not recording something held it back, and when it should have been working it was at a standstill.

After a long search he found the person who was responsible for this failure on the part of the meter to do its whole duty and made his acquaintance. He never succeeded in convincing the clever rascal that he wished to invest in his invention.

"I am an electrician myself," he said, "and if you can show me that you really have the goods I'll do business with you."

Thus it happened that the whole process was revealed. The detective absorbed it all step by step and at the close of the demonstration took his man in custody. The machines sold readily at \$135 each, and it is believed that between 100 and 200 of them were disposed of in New York city alone.

The New York bureau of criminal records is reputed to be the largest and most comprehensive in the world, not

even excepting those of London and Paris. The work of this bureau is being extended steadily day by day, as is made evident by the wonderful collection of criminal records and pictures at General Bingham's headquarters. It is a veritable "Who's Who" of the underworld. In 1885, when Inspector Byrne left the department, there were 2,500 pictures in the room's gallery. Now there are over 17,000, each being a human record of a case attended to at headquarters. There are also 60,000 photographs of the world's deliberate wrongdoers, all carefully arranged and classified. The Bertillon system measures a man and subdivides his anatomy almost as minutely as the dissecting scalpel. Every deviation from the normal is explored and pictured and recorded with a minuteness that is as wonderful as it is admirable.

No matter how much a man may change in features and even in his nature, the pattern of his fingers remains always the same. So imperishable is this characteristic that even when mutilation is resorted to in order to defeat the ends of justice the telltale marks often persist. This most perfect and not to be questioned scheme of identification has been known to the Chinese and practiced by them for centuries. It was employed first in this country by the federal authorities in San Francisco in making examinations under the Chinese exclusion act. General Bingham introduced it into the New York police department last year. Since that time, 3,500 finger prints have been taken.

General Theodore A. Bingham, the man who is responsible for the great advance in modern police methods, was for almost thirty years attached to the army's engineer corps, retiring in 1904 with the rank of brigadier general. From that day he entered West Point to the date of his retirement his record is without a flaw.

WILBUR E. HAINES.

John Ireland, Ideal Good Citizen and Archbishop: A Man Americans Want Raised to the Cardinalate

If the American people had any part whatever in the making of cardinals the popular archbishop of St. Paul would have been the wearer of the red hat long ago. On the eve of every papal conclave which has been held for years the hopes of his hosts of friends have been stimulated by the knowledge of his fitness, and each fresh disappointment has been made less bitter by the belief that it was only a postponement and not a finality.

Now again it has been announced that a conclave will be held at the Vatican before long, and the popular demand is being voiced in all quarters of the land. Why it is that the American public without especial regard to theological differences is so united in its desire that John Ireland shall be numbered among the princes of the church may not be understood in Rome, but it is perfectly clear to the average citizen of this republic.

First of all, it is because the archbishop is one of the foremost citizens of the United States. He is a patriot of the old fashioned kind, a man who loves his country with the passion of enthusiasm. He is not at all blind to her faults; neither does he think it necessary to show his devotion to her by belittling other countries or antagonizing other forms of civilization. He has always shown in his attitude, his spirit and his habitual utterance the affection of one who never forgets that he is a part of a great and living nation, that his country is much more than an abstraction, and that in all the relations of life he is a true patriot who puts the interest of his country far above those of his party and who never fails to remember that he owes allegiance to the nation.

Although an ecclesiastic and a devoted and enthusiastic adherent to the tenets of the great religious organization of which he is a member, no man rightfully may accuse John Ireland of lack of sympathy with what he regards as the rational liberty of modern life. As a priest he is of necessity a profound believer in education. He is also a devoted friend of freedom of the genuine sort, and his life has been conspicuous by reason of his manifold and influential endeavors to share with the masses of the people the religion, morality and social capital of the world. According to his own expression, "the watchwords of the age are reason, education, liberty, the unmediation of the masses."

The archbishop's strength is due largely to his absolute sincerity. His

vigorous personality, his frankness, his courage and his decided views on many questions have not infrequently aroused the animosity of influential persons, but his sincerity and disinterestedness have never been questioned. Each passing year has cleared away some of the misconceptions which always cloud the pathway of a bold and able man. Dr. Ireland has succeeded in winning the profound respect not only of those who are with him in his opinions, but also of those who disagree.

For more than forty years he has lived in the capital of Minnesota, from the very beginning of his career identifying himself with the new life of the great northwest in all its best and most profitable aspects. Born in Ireland, his early boyhood was passed in America. His earlier education was obtained at the cathedral parish school in St. Paul, but his collegiate and seminary training was gained in France during a residence of eight years in that country. In 1861 he was ordained to the priesthood and went almost immediately to the front as the chaplain of a Minnesota regiment in the civil war.

Dr. Ireland was consecrated bishop of St. Paul about thirty years ago. Since that time his personal history has been a part of the history of the country. From the first he has taken an intelligent and active interest in public affairs and has been conspicuous as a friend of education. Unlike some ministers of every denomination he has never manifested the slightest distaste for the spread of truth, but, on the contrary, he has directed all his powerful influence toward opening the doors of darkness and letting in the light.

An Active Reformer.

Archbishop Ireland has long been conspicuous by his advocacy of many reforms. He was a pioneer in the temperance movement in his church, and the first Catholic total abstinence society was organized by him more than thirty-five years ago. In his own city his influence is manifest in a marked reduction of drunkenness, in the obliteration of plague spots of vice and in a changed atmosphere throughout the entire community on the temperance question. He has at all times used all his influence, both as an ecclesiastic and as a good citizen, to make temperance disreputable and to restrain it by public opinion and by wise legal restrictions.

He is a speaker of magnetic force, although he is in no sense an orator. In the pulpit and on the rostrum he is direct, effective, logical and always convincing. Added to this is a gift of hu-



THE DISTINGUISHED ARCHBISHOP OF ST. PAUL

WISE AND OTHERWISE.

The great thing is to produce nothing of which, if it comes into broad light, you will be ashamed, and then whether it does come into broad light or not need not much trouble you.

The surest way not to fail is to be determined to succeed. Never attempt to do anything that is not right. Just as sure as you do you

will get into trouble. If you even suspect that anything is wrong, do not do it till you are sure your suspicions are groundless.

You reap what you sow, not something else, but that. An act of love makes the soil more loving. A deed of humbleness deepens humbleness. The thing reaped is the very thing

sown, multiplied a hundredfold. You have sown the seed of life, you reap life everlasting.

What is really momentous and all important with us is the present, by which the future is shaped and colored. I am convinced that it is by personal conduct that any one of ordinary power will do the greatest amount of good that is in him or her to do. The chain of life lies very largely

in small things, and good manners, which are the most agreeable ways of treating one's fellows and being treated by them, add immensely to the value of life.

Content is a quality of the heart and consists of a forgetfulness of self, a contentment and delicacy of temperament that promotes the charming act of sympathy. You want to be true, and you are

trying to be. Learn these two things—never to be discouraged because good things get on slowly here, and never to fail daily to do that good which lies next to your hand.

Happy thoughts are worth cherishing. He who remembers a kindness done to him is happier for then he who treasures up his grievances. We should train ourselves to see the bright things in life. There are in the

mor which comes from his race and is indicated in his fine, homely face—a gift which puts him at ease with men and has contributed largely to his influence with them.

Perhaps his most distinguished characteristic is what has been described as "a sort of sublimated common sense." He sees things in the large. He has a keen sense of humor, but never a favor, although the personality of the one who befriends him may pass from his memory. This is not because he is ungrateful, but rather because he is Napoleonic in the scope of his vision, which sees legends go by and thither, but takes no note of the men who compose them.

Like William Morris, the archbishop is "strangely incurious of individuals" and is able to work with any one with as much pathos as with him as long as the work in hand is being helped along. It is related of him that after one of his successful missions to the Vatican it became known in Rome that among his guests at a little dinner were two men who had been active in opposition to his plans. When his attention was directed to this and he was asked if they had not been doing everything in their power to prevent him from obtaining the concession for which he had labored he replied: "Very likely, very likely. I dare say they did."

A Genuine Democrat.

Dr. Ireland has been feted in many countries, and he has been the recipient of the most distinguished social honors from many of the great nations. His reception was once given him in London at which every Roman Catholic peer in Great Britain was present, many coming from Ireland and Scotland to do him honor. Yet he is almost childlike in his appreciation of a word of approval. He is profoundly conscious of his relation to the church, but apparently all unconscious of what he means to the world.

He is one of the most democratic members of the American hierarchy. At a time when friction between Rome and the French republic was at a critical stage the pope asked the archbishop to go to Paris as his special agent. The American prelate undertook the mission cheerfully, only stipulating that he be relieved of the pomp of an envoy. So he went to the Grand hotel without even a secretary and registered as John Ireland. He was assigned to a bedroom on the top floor, not large and furnished modestly. Presently a French dignitary appeared at the hotel and inquired for

the archbishop. He was informed that no one of that rank was lodged in the hotel. He asked permission to examine the register. It was brought, and the name of John Ireland was discovered. The visitor was announced, and the American prelate directed that he be shown up.

On entering the little bedroom the Frenchman bowed his head in honor and exclaimed: "Mon Dieu! Such an impossible lodging for an envoy of the holy father! Such a dizzy height!" "Not so lofty, monseigneur," laughed the American. "You should see our skyscrapers."

EASTMAN A. COLE.

AN ENERGETIC GENERAL.

At seventy-eight years of age General Booth takes no exercise except on the platform. When at home he rises every morning at 6, prepares and drinks a cup of strong tea and sits down to the labors of the day. He has no desk and writes with a quill pen in a small, firm and rapid hand. No fresh venture or change in the Salvation Army can proceed without his consent, and as he is ever planning new schemes and enters into the most trifling details of matters laid before him, his daily task is anything but small.

At 8 o'clock he has his breakfast. This meal he likes to eat in solitude. Before this hour early trains have brought officers with documents for him to sign or requests for instructions, and the most important of these he considers while at his fragrant repast. Immediately after breakfast—which usually lasts twenty minutes, the general being a rapid eater—the household is summoned to prayers.

THE KAISER'S CONCERN.

The German emperor does not possess the faintest trace of a sense of humor, otherwise he could not give us so many proofs of the fact that he believes himself to be the greatest man of the time. An amusing story which illustrates this phase of his character is going the rounds in Berlin.

The Kaiser was visiting one evening in the grounds of a nobleman on whom he had imposed a nona toto welcome visit. Presently he saw a cigar from his case, but found he had nothing with which to cut off the end. His host, seeing the trouble, handed the emperor his knife. The Kaiser cut his cigar and returned the knife, saying: "Guard it carefully, my friend! Some day that knife will be historic!"

357 (21,424 boys and 7,521 girls), as compared with 25,192 in the previous year and 16,218 during the year ended March 31, 1905.

Don't allow yourself to think on your birthday that you are a year older and so much nearer the end. There is an standing still in life—we are either growing better or worse. Of the 5,000 breweries estimated to be in the world 25,000 are in Germany.

NEW IN THE FASHION WORLD



AFTERNOON tea is now classed by most women as a necessity rather than as a luxury, and anything that adds to the attractiveness of the function is welcomed by the tea hostess who loves novelty. For the tea service itself there are all sorts of things in the china and silver line, constantly devised to tempt the buyer and deplete her pocketbook. Tea caddies in Chinese design are lovely and much sought after, but among personal adornments the newest thing is the tiny tea-apron London and Paris have gone wild over and which has just found its way over to America. Many of them are not much bigger than a good sized handkerchief, and all are trimmed attractively with lace and ribbons. The bows that adorn the pockets are little bunched up looking affairs. The flat bow is not even used on lingerie this season, but is knotted up into a small choux.

The reception dress seen in the illustration, by Havel, is another lovely thing sent over from Paris, simple in design, but elaborate in exquisite materials and trimmings. The skirt is formed of alternate panels of silk lace and chiffon velvet, the lace panels terminating at the top in a graduated hem topped with chenille embroidered in self color. Byzantine embroideries, together with white antique lace, trim the bodice, which is boned and tight fitting. The sleeves are of white lace ruffles over white net, capped with

blue lace and velvet. The material of the frock is of Copenhagen blue chiffon velvet. The hat is of black velvet, with white marabou in high front trimming. The other model is wearing jewels belonging to the Infanta Eulalia of Spain. The dog collar is one of the handsomest in the world and is valued at a king's ransom. The butterfly which fastens the collar in front has wings composed of pigeon blood rubies.

The New Coat.

The half loose coat with lapped seam from shoulder to hem in front will be worn, but it is replaced by one that has three seams at back, none in front, but is cut to curve in at waist under the arms, and is single breasted, with collar buttoned set well apart.

The last button is about three inches below the waist line, and from it the edges slope away on the bias. The sleeves are long, as all coat sleeves are to be, and finished with a four inch turnover cuff sloped away at back.

The covers are much wider than those we have been wearing. There is a breast pocket, a small one for cash and two large ones. It is quite probable that the three-quarter coat that curves slightly into the waist line will be revived, as it has always been the most becoming of the cuts that every one could wear.

As to the minor details of the new coats, the sleeves are long and with-out trimming and usually finished with a turnover cuff. A number of small

bishop sleeves are put into the arm hole under a small Japanese effect.

Picturesque Large Hat.

A large flaring hat, its top covered with rather dull green ottoman silk, faced with green panne velvet of a much darker shade, has its wide brim bent in soft curves with a decided flare at the left side toward the back, where the brim is the widest. Just to the front of this wide curve is a slight indentation or downward curve there is a scarf bow of shaded green silk ribbon, broken by quarter inch stripes of dull wood brown velvet. The ribbon is very wide and is first laid in lengthwise plait, and one loop is

made to stand up with a slant to the front, and from the ribbon flares out an accordion plaited, pointed end in each direction.

Rising from this bow, one turning toward the back, the other to the front, is a short mass of shaded green marabou feathers, and from these there sweep out around the brim toward the back curving feathers that closely resemble bird of paradise plumes. These are black for some distance from their bases and then shade out to a pale dull green at their tips.

A Novelty in Trimming.

Among the many trimming novelties noticed and some recent importations

are the tiny shirred bands and ruffles, front and from the ribbon flares out an accordion plaited, pointed end in each direction.

There is no band about the crown or other trimming than that indicated. It is to be fastened with two large headed shell buttons.

Something New in Belts.

Parisians are wearing very elaborate leather belts, the leather being much tooled and gilded after the fashion of old bindings, having solid gold buckles. With an ingenious eye for effect many women are wearing their back to front, the deep buckle coming in front, while the narrower one, with its holes for adjusting, goes at the back. This plan gives a pretty sloping line to the

of shoulders. Other buttons are fat, bulky looking affairs of intricate design and interwoven bands of different widths and odd combinations of color, stripes, about half an inch wide, run dexterously necked together to form the desired shape. These are, of course, all handmade, and while they are largely on velvet and chamois cloth wraps, will probably be even more popular later on as a decoration for fur garments and for cloth garments, for trimmed. The pumpkin-shaped quantities of braided buttons, some of which are of different colors, are now observed all indicate that every type of material, from cotton to fur, will be ornamented along somewhat the same lines.

An Attractive Hat.

Of the moderately sized hats seen this season, one of note is colored black, with straight brim and high top crown, is very becoming. It is trimmed with a narrow twisted band of velvet and tulle around the base of the crown, and in front with two light and two large dark bunches of grapes, arranged alternately so as to cover both crown and brim.

Hints on Millinery.

Every woman should understand the value of the bandeau—that is, its use—that its abuse may be corrected. Many a hat that would if properly mounted be becoming is found unbecoming by the woman trying it on simply because the bandeau is not arranged to suit her shape of head and face. It seems as though a separate bandeau to be adjusted to suit each present cut and dried fastening in it, this necessary, although, of course, milliners will remove the bandeau and adjust the hat properly if requested, or if they understand their art—which, alas, many do not.

Bandeaus are of different lengths and heights, but a long deep one can be pulled up in the hat to any desired height and made either low or high. My advice to the woman who has on hand a hat or hats that do not suit her, or rather, with which she is not satisfied, is to experiment with the bandeau until the right tilt or becoming angle has been found and then to fasten the bandeau in. On the tilt and general "set" of the hat on the head its style depends. Each style of hat has its own tilt for each face, and the same hat will suit dissimilar types if trimmed and adjusted to that end.

The Fashionable Felt.

An attractive walking hat of light gray felt has the left brim broader than the right, and the edge rolls the least bit from the right side across the front. The edge is unfinished. The wing of white gull, with the curved edge finished by the insertion of very glossy black feathers, is placed at the front of the hat, being placed upside down, with the ends extending out over the left brim, slanting toward the back.

Back of this, but coming out from behind it, to the right, is a large, quite flat ruff of black gull, and back of this a shorter gull wing rises and goes out across the rather low crown.

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Girdles For the Stout Woman.

Whatever the dictates of fashion, girdles should be invariably abandoned in favor of those of moderate width, the ideal evening sleeve, from the stout woman's point of view, being that of the "angel" description, while any tightness, in the matter of the girdle, is equally to be avoided. Tight collars and cuffs, as well as a compressed waist, tend to roundness of the face, while accentuating rather than detracting from the size of the wearer, a tight collar frequently producing the appearance of a double chin.

If possible, a belt "pur et simple" should be avoided altogether, but even the stout woman can hardly be expected to abandon the wearing of the ever useful blouse, and with such a form of garment the belt is of course the natural sequence.

A dark colored or black belt should, however, be invariably chosen, the narrowest and most pliable material being used for the purpose, while, however great may be the temptation to choose in the broad fabric belt and swastika, which are so important a feature of modern dress, there is only one way to meet the case—the word which does the path of the stout woman, in season and out of season, and follows her as persistently as the gaily followed "Don't."

An Inexpensive Wedding Gown.

Here is a new design for a simple headed gown of plain Brussels net. The underskirt has a deep ruffle edged with smaller one, finished with narrow, inexpensive lace, a mere edge, nothing more. Over this the net skirt is evenly gathered to the belt and made quite full by a wide circular ruffle attached to a tow lace band of German cut lace. It is edged with a two inch band of white satin.

The hem can be modified if desired, and a long choker of net, edged, though, but the idea will be carried out on many occasions this reason used for certain purposes that a bride elect may think it worth while to put the little extra money in it.

The skirt is not usually long, for it would be too much trouble to cut it off for a bride wear after and.

The bodice has a front panel of silk darning down the center of back and front. This is easy to do and requires none of the skill that ordinary embroidery does. On each side of this are two bands of lace, inset from shoulder to belt, ending in sharp points. There are narrow, plain strips of the net between.

The sleeve is ruffled by gathering it to a strip of lace down the inside and outside of arm. A simple ruffle finishes it just below the turn of the arm. The stock is of lace, boned and edged, with a ruffling at top, and in front there is a wide bow of tulle. The belt is of white satin in narrow folds cut slightly under three inch bows.

This design can be carried out in any material, and if one prefers this fabric cut organza, unless the price is an objection. Whatever you pay choose sheer material.

The advantage of such a frock is that it is a "dress" in the winter and is ready for next summer. One can make agreeable changes in it by wearing colored muslin slips with belts to match.

The Advance of the Season In the Paris Fashion World; Definite Ideas That Have Been Accepted as Final

PARIS, Oct. 5.—A clever young matron of the Faubourg St. Germain set here at the gay capital recently announced to some friends that she thought seriously of opening a school whose object should be the teaching of the gentle art of dressing. To quote the lady herself directly, "The instruction would be of such a high order that even those who had the least talent for this art could be so thoroughly drilled in the intricacies of the sartorial science of putting themselves together properly that they would be eligible for a diploma at the end of a three-months' course." A jolly girl, she said, and one that should be greeted with enthusiasm by the unregenerate of the sex who have missed the fine sense of recognizing the right thing in the right place as far as costume is concerned. For in these days it is nothing short of a crime for a woman to be dowdy, and in many instances it has been the means of her social annihilation. The fair Parisian philanthropist is going to make us all butterflies and is gathering together all kinds of learned opinions on the dress subject to use in the curriculum of her school. She has found that one profound student of the cult accounts dowdiness a deadly disease and locates its chief seat in the head, outside and inside, and in the neck. To escape it, she must avoid the Scylla of a badly arranged neck and the Charybdis of an untidily coiffured head. A parting shot fired by this Delphic oracle is that "dowdies are born, not made. Whether style can be learned at school is one of the problems of the future, and whether a "shabby" woman can be taught to give up her wicked ways is another unanswered riddle.

Cupid Not in the Movement.

The little god Dan Cupid for a time in September was out of the fashionable running. Instead of going to Trouville or Dinard to look for victims he stayed right here in Paris and brought about the engagement of the heir to the throne of Greece and Princess Marie, daughter of Prince Roland Bonaparte. Both the prince and his charming daughter are well known personages at the gay capital, and, unlike some members of the house of Bonaparte, the prince does not waste his time in recriminations and indirect allusions to a remote future when one of the illustrious family will ascend the French throne. He has spent his life in scientific pursuits and holds today a prominent place in the world of science. Princess Marie is a charmingly clever girl, a talented musician and a graceful hostess for her

father, whose magnificent establishment is worthy of royalty itself. She is a great heiress, having inherited millions of francs from her mother, who was a daughter of M. Blanc, the autocrat of the gaming tables of Monte Carlo. The Bonapartists in France are hailing the union of Prince Roland's daughter to the son of a reigning sovereign with delight, and they whisper to one another that it has a political significance, which is of course very foolish. It is a love match from which all politics is excluded. But what woman cares for political reasons in an affair of the heart? Although no date has been set for the marriage, which will take place some time this month, famous couturiers have long been at work on exquisite costumes for the princess. One evening frock that has just been finished is a fortunate enough to wear a perfect dream of a creation in chaste green spangled tulle. The long trailing skirt has a thick robe of plain green tulle at the bottom, a beautiful sea foam effect that is heightened by a cabalistic design in a dull, flexible, greenish gold braid just above it. The bodice, which is round and fitted over the skirt at the waist, is of mauve satin with a drapery of lace and tulle caught up at one side of the square decollete corsage with a bunch of wood violets.

By Her Sleeves You Know Her.

A Roman cardinal once said that the world does not change. It continually tramps over the same ground. This truism applies as well to the world of fashion and particularly to that part of it devoted to sleeves. These arm coverings and their ways are giving the feminine part of society a heap of trouble just now, for by the cut of her sleeves is the modish woman known. Protect as much as one will, the tight mancho is here to stay, and to be come it fast in this part of the costume, one must tramp back to the styles of twenty years ago for inspiration. In the newest frocks the sleeves are long, and even on evening frocks is this length smart. That they are tight is a source of grief to the girl with short, plump arms. Speaking of sleeves the other day, a smart couturier said that every pair that left her establishment represented two days' work. The three models that illustrate this story are fine objects, lessons for those in search of truth. You see that they are all long and tight or semitight fitting and show a considerable amount of adornment, consisting principally of braid and buttons. Indeed, the two B's, braid and buttons, are the beginning and the ending of trimming motifs of the moment. There never was a more be-

coming fashion than the long, transparent sleeve for evening wear—the thin arm can be veiled and the "too

solid flesh" is happily toned down—yet how few are the women who avail themselves of these "aids to beauty."

and, incidentally, how few are the really pretty arms! Then the modified leg of mutton sleeve hanging grace-

fully from the upper part of the arm and tight fitting from the elbow down—this is again an attractive shape—evidenced this season. It is seen on every smart young woman it was with us last, but it was always an elegant sleeve, and we are very glad to welcome it back. The velvet sleeve is another feature of the mode. With a cloth costume made slightly full, coming from under cloth covers, or a kimono upper sleeve of velvet and lower sleeve of the same suggested by a velvet vest and velvet bands on the skirt, nothing looks better.

A small item which is observed by the commonwealth is the "puffed" looking upper sleeve, which is a narrow banding of velvet at the top of her collar. To be harmonious the color should be repeated elsewhere on the gown. Velvet has a very softening effect near the face, and it is a shade that is not antagonistic to one's complexion is not selected the effect is very smart. Colors on gowns are high—indeed, one might say very high—but they do not rise in points above the side of the neck just below the ears. This never was pretty, nor was it any more comfortable than it looked and to suggest discomfort is a cardinal sin in the canons of dress.

How the Modish Frock is Built.

The princess plastron front is noticeable on many of the robust dinner and evening dresses, the pronounced cut in one with revers and shoulder pieces. The severity of the princess cut is broken by a waist belt which steps short either side of the straight front and fastens the back and front of the skirt. The skirt, except for a center fold, which is usually bordered with buttons on either side, is fastened on, is full and flowing. The tailored coat, with its three fitted bodice and three-quarters in length, holds the center of the stage for the moment.

I think no woman really likes to realize that the ever used bodice is going out of fashion. This little garment is so essentially practical and so generally becoming that we have a right to regret it as an old and tried friend without which no woman could carry on her life. It is very comfortable and it is very becoming. It is fast disappearing from the arms of fashion. The rage for the three-quarter coat of varied styles continues unabated, and this winter we shall see voluminous mantles adopted by women who set the dress pace. Everything denotes that loose outer garments made of the most pliable materials will be leading novelties. The general effect is almost bizarre, and this effect will be increased when we come to wear crepe de chine, velvet and furs mixed. Nevertheless,

Spectacular Millinery Fashions.

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A good place for this astonishing work of art is an all white hat of stiffened net, with a large bow, trim and a crown, well, no one would ever think of a crown in connection with this creation, for "what might have been" is covered with a veritable mountain of white with tips mingled with flakes of creamy marabou. The effect is like a phynox of Fujiyama, the sacred white-capped mountain of Japan, or of the foot of an old and tried friend without which no woman could carry on her life. It is very comfortable and it is very becoming. It is fast disappearing from the arms of fashion. The rage for the three-quarter coat of varied styles continues unabated, and this winter we shall see voluminous mantles adopted by women who set the dress pace. Everything denotes that loose outer garments made of the most pliable materials will be leading novelties. The general effect is almost bizarre, and this effect will be increased when we come to wear crepe de chine, velvet and furs mixed. Nevertheless,



NEW SLEEVE MODES BY MARGAINE LACROIX.

WHAT TO WEAR.

There are certain old favorite vogues that seldom fail to find a ready acceptance, and one of these at the immediate moment is navy blue allied to a strong purple shade. Navy blue is like the poor, always with us, and few wardrobes are considered quite complete without a service-

able gown of this description, but this blaking it with purple is an altogether novel departure and one that requires a certain amount of courage to exploit. A costume that created much admiring comment was built of serge and worn with hat, petticoat, shoes and stockings of a real vibrant purple. The

hat was simply innervated with tuffetina, into the depths of which self-colored roses, minus any foliage, were tucked. Roses of weird tones have been proving quite a feature of the millinery season, and an attractive one they in expression they are likely to be seen well on into the winter. The cretonne innovation is one that

is growing more emphatic every minute. The cretonne employed must naturally be of good quality, the cheaper makes rarely showing the artistic designs required as basis for the really elaborate embroidery stitches to which they are eventually devoted. A white hat, offered a singularly "chic" appearance, trimmed with black silk roses with gold centers, the glaz-

ed heron's plume waving over all, being also picked out with the inset note. The effect of embroidered cretonnes is extremely good and recalls certain eastern work, mainly of a Turkish or Indian order. With evening dresses a veiling of some transparency is frequently employed, when the effect is charming, while for day wear some extremely

original results are achieved by using the cretonne practically plain, the interest of outline of points being reserved to, over which the soft undulating fineness of fall line or not serves to pre-

vent any harshness that might be caused by the cretonne. It should always be borne in mind that the cretonne is being used in some form to allow for this, the most successful variations to the ubiquitous lace or net examples

Sale Today of Girls' Coats

\$5 and \$8.75

There are nearly one hundred coats in this sale that have just reached us and they are beyond question some of the best values shown this season. Mothers will appreciate the bigness of this sale because most stores slight the misses' and girls' departments and show only limited assortments. Here choosing is made easy for the variety of styles is very large.

Among the \$5 coats are: The \$8.75 coats are in full length styles in English chevrons, meltons or jerseys; some in plain broadcloths; the entire coat trimmed with dark braid; colors are navy blue, black, smoke gray or brown; to the neck; colors navy, brown, gray or black; ages 4 to 14 years. Sale price \$5.00 to \$8.75.

Remarkable Low Prices on Staple and Standard Domestic

Prices like these prove a store's supremacy. Every day letters are received from the mills telling us of their inability to accept any more orders and quoting advanced prices on many of these very items.

In spite of these adverse conditions we offer you these very excellent specials today:

121-2c Outing Flannels, yd.	10c Standard Red Calicoes, yd.	7c
121-2c Wrapper Flannels, yd.	25c Hyde grade Galateas, yd.	19c
15c Tennis Flannels, yd.	15c A. P. C. Gingham, yd.	12 1-2c
20c Roxboro Flannels, yd.	25c Figured Dress Satens, yd.	19c
25c Fleece-down Flannels, yd.	162-3c Skirting Coverts, yd.	12 1-2c
25c Cotton Plaids, yd.	81-3c Comforter Coverings, yd.	5c
60c White Wool Flannels, yd.	10c Apron Checks, yd.	8c
8c Cotton Shaker, yd.	50c Scotch Flannels, yd.	35c
65c Oregon Wool Skirting, yd.	20c Bed Ticking, yd.	16 2-3c

More Good Underwear Sales of Women's and Children's Garments

Garments are on sale today at 25c each that few stores in this country sell for less than 35c and some even ask 50c for them.

Underwear for cold weather wear. Fleece cotton, soft, thick, warm; Jersey ribbed; good Maco cotton vests or pants in cream, white or gray; sizes 4, 5 and 6. Choice, 25c.

Sale of Women's \$2.50 Footwear

Today you get an opportunity of getting shoes worth up to \$4.00 a pair for only \$2.50.

We have some 200 pairs of these shoes in every good style and in nearly all leathers.

The maker who sold them to us wanted more than \$2.50 a pair for them when he made them, but circumstances arose that compelled him to let them go for much less.

Vici kid or patent leather shoes, some in gun metal calf skins, light or medium weight soles, college, blucher or straight cut, Cuban, military or spike heels; a baker's dozen of good styles to pick from; all sizes and widths. Today, \$4.00 footwear for \$2.50.

Closing Out Grocery Bargains

Every day some new good things are brought to light. Case after case of wanted groceries that get their first showing at this sale.

There's plenty of desirable bargains and the promptest kind of service now.

Bishop's Jam or Jellies, 25c bottle	Grape Juice, unfermented, Steinwand's, bottle	14c
Duffy's Cider, qt. bottle	Mince Meat, in bulk, 15c grade, lb.	12 1-2c
25c Pint bottle	15c Can Salmon	10c
Orange or Lemon Peel, 25c lb., now		

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CHAMBER OF COMMERCE PLANS PUBLIC FETES

Citrus Fair In January and Raisin Festival and County Fair In the Fall.

The appointment of a committee to make arrangements for the holding of an annual citrus fair in Fresno and preliminary steps toward making the raisin festival a permanent annual event to be held at the same time as the county fair were two of the most important things accomplished at the meeting of the Chamber of Commerce last night.

President J. H. Neu, Secretary William Robertson, G. H. Glassford, J. E. Dickinson and D. L. Newman were present.

The American Vineyard company was admitted to membership by a unanimous vote. W. R. Nutting of the company submitted to the chamber a plan to ascertain the exact nature of the crops planted in every section of land in the county. The plan provides for the distribution of blank diagrams of the various sections on sheets of letter paper with blank spaces for farmers to fill in as to the nature of the soil of their holdings, what they have planted on each subdivision and the results obtained. The editors of newspapers in the county will be asked to publish these blanks and aid the chamber to gather the information desired. It is intended for the Chamber of Commerce, when the necessary information is collected, to compile a map from these blanks, showing the acreage in vines, fruits and other crops in separate colors. Nutting said that there is a great deal of land on both the east and west sides that is not suitable for fruit raising and that the publication of such a map as he suggests would enable prospective planters to find out readily just what land in any particular district is good for.

Home Acres Again

A communication from D. L. Peters stating that he had disposed of all his interest in the Home Acres tract, and that he had turned the letter written in him by Secretary Robertson, was read. A letter from the Home Acres company, the recently incorporated concern that now owns the tract, was also received. The letter stated that a well drilling outfit has been purchased and is now lying at Acton awaiting cars for shipment to Fresno. This outfit, says the letter, will arrive here the last of this week. F. E. Schward, president of the Home Acres company, who signs the letter, declines to answer the charge that Peters raised the price of his lots on the strength of having ordered a well drilling outfit, thus making his patrons pay in advance for a purely problematical water supply, until he has heard from the chamber personally. The matter was referred to the special committee on Home Acres.

Railroad Matters

Division Superintendent Worthington of the Southern Pacific reported by letter that the material for a shed at the Fresno Passenger station has been ordered and that as soon as

it arrives a gang of carpenters will be put to work on the construction.

E. F. Booth, general passenger agent of the Southern Pacific, reported that the Union and Southern Pacific and connections have decided to put into effect the same tourist rates from the East to California during the months of March and April, 1908, as have been in effect during the past two months. The principal rates are as follows: From New York, \$50; from Chicago, \$33; from St. Louis, \$20; from Missouri river points, \$25.

Wants Bank Clearings

A letter from Rufus Jennings of the California Promotion Committee recalled the attention of the chamber to the fact that the Fresno bank clearings are not included in the committee's reports and asked that they be forwarded to him regularly. On motion of the chairman, who stated that the clearings of Fresno are the fourth in size among those of the cities of the state, the secretary was instructed to forward the clearings hereafter.

A request from Arthur Briggs, executive committee for California of the Trans-Mississippi Commercial Congress to be held at Muskogee, Oklahoma, on November 19, for contributions of wine and fruits from Fresno was referred to the committee on exhibits.

Festival and Fair

J. E. Dickinson moved that the committee which had the raisin festival in charge last month be requested to confer with the directors of the county fair association with a view to making the festival a permanent annual event and arranging for holding it at the same time as the county fair. He urged the necessity of organizing these two events on a business basis and advertising them for some fixed date long enough beforehand to insure the securing of a satisfactory date on which to open them. Neglect to do this last season, he said, had made it necessary to hold the fair and the festival entirely too early in the season. The matter was referred to the raisin festival committee which has not yet made its final report to the chamber.

Citrus Fair

On motion of D. L. Newman, the chair appointed W. N. Bohrer, N. W. Moody, Milton G. Berry, Frank Helm and Dr. Hare a committee to submit a plan and make arrangements for a citrus fair in this city that will be commensurate with its growing importance as the center of a region producing citrus fruits. There was some discussion as to whether a citrus fair or simply an exhibit of citrus fruits would be more advisable this year. It was finally decided to leave the details to the committee, but it was unanimously the sense of the chamber that the fair should be held early in January and that it should be an annual event and should be well advertised.

HIGH BINDERS TRY OUT THEIR GUNS

Two Suspicious Chinamen Are Looked Up.

Man Arrested In Another's

Clothes Says He "Borrowed" the Togs.

Attracted to the spot by a fusillade of shots, which seemed to be fired in the course of a duel, Patrolman Goshorn and Enos yesterday about dark arrested two Chinamen, Jim Wong and Fong Yen, far out on Tulare street, nearly outside the city limits to the southwest. The men were not firing at anything in particular, and said that they were only trying their guns out. They were arrested for carrying concealed weapons.

It is believed that these men may be two of the highbinders reported to be in this city. One had a brand new pistol, and the other one which had seen some use. The guns were 41 caliber Cuts double action revolvers. The marksmen exhibited rare familiarity with the weapons and used them with some skill.

When asked to account for their presence in this city, one of them said he was from Fresno Plate, where he had been for a few weeks. They were not Fresno men, however, and were not able to give very good accounts of their movements. They will probably be tried before Judge Briggs today on the misdemeanor charge.

Tool Clothes.

John J. Heffernan, a piano tuner by trade, was arrested yesterday in another man's suit of clothes, literally with the goods on him. John Brines, the aggrieved owner of the glad rags afterwards swore out a complaint before Judge Briggs, charging the man with petty larceny.

It appears that Brines roomed in the Marlposa hotel, at which place Heffernan was also staying. Brines went to the hills a month ago, or thereabouts, and left a suit of clothes in a grip, in his room at the hotel. On his return he spied his suit on another man, and found that his grip had been opened and emptied. The wearer of the rags was not aware that the owner had shown up, and was much surprised when Detective Ben Drenth scooped him up. He protested that he had intended to have the clothes, which were about two sizes too large for him, cleaned and pressed, and in good shape before the return of the owner. He had just "borrowed" them.

Heffernan was arrested some time ago for hiring a rig at Sanger, for the purpose of going to some point near Fresno to visit his wife. He had paid for the rig for one day and, as he changed his plans, and went to Kingsburg in a dance instead of on a visit to his wife and kept the rig out for four days instead of one, he was taken

SPICY AND GINGERY WAS ISLE OF SPICE

Catchy Songs, Pretty Girls, Clever Comedy.

First Musical Comedy of the

Year That Was Really Satisfying.

Spicy and gingery as its title was the merry "Isle of Spice" which entertained a good-sized house at the Barton last night. It's almost a case of drawing straws this week to decide which night to stay at home from the theater, so full is the week of good bookings. Nearly every one is taking a chance and going to them all. They made a good hazard when they bought seats for the "Isle of Spice." It is the best musical comedy here this year. To be sure that doesn't give it a very generous compliment, considering the fact that both the other two have been far from up to good musical comedy standard.

But in all seriousness last night's performance was bright and sparkling in many ways, and to make up for the out-of-dateness of the show itself there was a clever company of people to send it along to a successful and brilliant finish. One cannot enjoy a play which has been on the road for four years with the same zest one does a brand new one. But that is one of the penalties of living in the Golden West. The "Isle of Spice" is new to Fresno theater-goers and furnishes a welcome change from the old and dingy tunes with one or two really pretty songs.

The name indicates the scenery, which is picturesque and gives opportunity for some freaky stunts that were quite catchy. In the finale to the first act, the "Star of Fate," a large silver star, appears and as the curtain goes down for the last time the star opens and a fetching cupid is revealed. Several tricks of this kind made some unexpected breaks to the monotony of choruses. The chorus was given unusually popular, but it was good to hear "You and I" so prettily sung by Roberta Wilson and Charles Purcell, who seemed to be the main singers. There were other voices equaling theirs, if not surpassing them in the quality of the music.

Much of the music from the comedy has long been familiar to us, for it has been unusually popular, but it was good to hear "You and I" so prettily sung by Roberta Wilson and Charles Purcell, who seemed to be the main singers. There were other voices equaling theirs, if not surpassing them in the quality of the music.

It is thought that he may have a record of interest to the police, and he is being looked up in the books.

ing. Locetta Convey sang most cleverly the Peggy Brady song. She is good looking and has a sweet, clear voice. Her song was recalled oftener than any number on the program unless it was "How Can You Tell Till You Try" quartet, with Mattie Marx, Locetta Convey, Harry Williams and M. E. Watson interpreting forward imitations with their singing and dancing.

Williams and Watson were a nimble pair of comedians whose comedy had a good wholesome ring and seldom descended to the horse-play variety. They had some jokes dressed up in pretty good clothes, and judging from the applause had "taken ways." They were aided in their sportiveness by John Mylle, the sixty-seventh king of Nicobar, who has the conventional make-up of these impossible monarchs who seem to have the monopoly on musical comedy when it wanders into foreign countries after cinnamon trees and allspice.

Alva E. Long really had the voice of the company and in his best song had an accompanying male quartet that was excellent, furnishing about the best music of the evening.

J. HAYDEN COOKE HOLDS A STIRRING MEETING

The Rev. J. Hayden-Cooke, the evangelist, held a most successful revival meeting in the First Baptist church last night. The church was crowded with people anxious to hear the young preacher, who converted so many since his arrival, some weeks ago, in Fresno.

His sermon was plain and couched in forcible, direct terms that held his audience from the time he began to speak until its conclusion. His subject was "Duties of the Christian Life."

Four persons were baptized and eight converted.

The meetings will be continued this week by the evangelist, ending with a meeting on Sunday.

VESSEL IS SEARCHED

American Liner Suspected of Harboring a Salvadorean Revolutionist at Acapulita.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 23.—Capt. Kidston of the Pacific Mail liner, City of Sydney, which arrived here today from the south coast, reports that on the night of October 2nd, while lying in the harbor of Acapulita, the steamer was searched by Salvadorean troops who suspected that John Mossante, a rebel leader, was on board.

Soon after the vessel anchored about a mile from the cruiser Chicago, a boatload of soldiers came on board and after stating that they had information to the effect that the revolutionist wanted had taken passage on the vessel in Nicaragua, made a thorough but unsuccessful search for him. An hour later another force made a similar search.

Later in the night a third boat approached the steamer but its occupants were not allowed to board. Mossante is accused of having seized and looted the town of Sensonatte, last spring.

REAGAN BRINGS SUIT AGAINST M'CLURE'S

Former Police Commissioner Is Not Satisfied With Retraction Made By George Kennan.

(Special to Republican.) SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 23.—Former Police Commissioner Thomas Reagan has begun suit for \$200,000 in Marin county against M'Clure's Magazine for libeling him, he alleges, in the article that George Kennan wrote about municipal corruption in San Francisco. The commissioner was specifically accused of having entered into a deal with Mayor Schmitz to force the saloons to buy whiskey from Hilbert Brothers, in which firm the mayor was interested. Schmitz and Reagan were to divide a profit of fifty dollars a barrel.

Kennan has published in local papers a retraction of this charge against the former commissioner and in justice to Reagan it must be stated that he was placed in a false light by the article. This the writer has admitted, but the commissioner evidently thinks that reparation has not been made sufficiently.

Reagan was the principal witness against ex-Mayor Schmitz in the extortion case and had consistently stood against the grafters after he was ousted from the commissionership for refusing to participate in Schmitz's schemes. While he has won much respect for his fearlessness and uprightness in taking the stand against the ex-mayor, he was in fact actuated to some extent by a desire to even up scores.

Reagan began municipal life as a member of the street sweeping force, and has a rugged, simple personality, which is not without much strength, however. He felt keenly as a disgrace when Schmitz reproached him and made some ugly comments about him.

Schmitz, who was my good friend, has sought to rob me of my good name and has succeeded in blackening my reputation. I shall look for the day when I can vindicate myself before my friends and the people of San Francisco," said the ex-commissioner.

His opportunity came sooner than he expected, for he went on the stand and told a story removing all stain from his name. He had been the exceptional official in the city's service, for he refused to graft when the temptation was placed strongly before him. His testimony supplied the strong point that brought about the conviction of his "good friend."

COUNTY ASSESSORS MEET IN STATE CONVENTION

SAN JOSE, Oct. 23.—The county assessors of California met in this city Assessor F. E. Dow, of Sonoma county, this morning for a two days' session, presiding, Alexander Brown, of Calaveras county, chairman of the state board of equalization, and F. M. For, clerk of the state board, are also present. A business meeting is being held today, and this evening all will attend a banquet at Hotel St. James. Tomorrow the visitors will be shown about the valley by Assessor Solter and Secretary Brooks of the chamber of commerce.

AIRSHIPS MADE GOOD

Dirigible Balloons Do Good Work In Races at St. Louis, Beachey Winning the Event.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 23.—Sailing to windward and return over a course measuring one mile and a half from the start to the finish, Lincoln Beachey of Toledo today won the dirigible balloon or airship race which marked the close of the St. Louis aeronautic carnival of 1907. The prize was \$2000. In his Beachey airship, a cigar-shaped machine propelled by a gasoline motor, the winner covered the distance in 4 minutes and 49 seconds.

Jack Dallas, in the Strobel airship, a sister craft to the Beachey, won second place, with a time record of 6 minutes and 10 seconds, while Captain Thomas S. Baldwin of New York, in the California Arrow, was third in 7 minutes and 5 seconds. A fourth competitor, the Comet, entered by Charles Daysdorfer of Omaha and sailed by Horace Wild, did not complete the first trial of the course, the motor breaking.

The race as finally arranged was a start-at-will affair with each contestant having three trials. Beachey made the first start at 7:15, and did not start again until the Arrow had made a record of 7:05 on its last attempt. Then the Beachey ship started on the best flight of the day. Heading his car directly into the wind and veering but the slightest degree in the gusts, the big craft sailed to the turning point, wheeled around in its own length and came whirling back before the breeze at a speed which must have approximated fifty miles an hour.

The precision with which the ship was handled was marvelous and the airship was brought to ground within a few feet of the grand stand. In making his last flight Beachey met Dallas returning in the Strobel. They exchanged greetings in midair and the spectacle of two flying machines passing at full speed with propellers whirling and motors chugging roused the watching throngs to a high pitch of enthusiasm.

The California Arrow, which performed so splendidly in the trials of yesterday, did not behave so well today and the owner and operator had some difficulty in keeping his craft on its course. His motor seemed to lack power in the face of the pretty stiff wind that was blowing and because of this he abandoned an attempt to turn the goal on his second flight. The Beachey and Strobel airships were more pointed at the nose than the Arrow.

DIVORCE GETTING TO BE DIFFICULT

Santa Rosa Judges Decide Upon Tightening the Reins of Justice.

SANTA ROSA, Oct. 23.—Judge Emmet Seawell and Thomas C. Denny sitting in bank Monday afternoon made a new order in divorce cases before their departments of the Superior court. These judges believe the divorce laws are too lax, and that the laws should be revised and the securing of a divorce decree should be made more difficult. They propose to place as many obstacles as possible in the way of promiscuous divorces. Under the new rule, all divorce matters must be set for trial on the calendar and must pass regularly through the office of county clerk, as do other contested matters. The practice heretofore has been for attorneys to rush into a judge's chambers at any time and request the hearing of a divorce matter. The judges have heretofore acquiesced in these cases.

Hereafter, too, an official court reporter must be present at all hearings of divorce cases, and the plaintiff must pay the reporter's fee, which is established at the same as in other contested matters, \$10 for each case, or each day put in on the case. This will make the divorces more costly, and the judges hope it will have a deterrent effect on those seeking legal separations.

NOME STEAMER HAS A HARD VOYAGE

SEATTLE, Wash., Oct. 23.—All the way down from Nome Captain John Weaver of the steamship President, which arrived at Seattle late today, was ill and confined to his bunk. First Officer Brown, who had charge of the boat on her trip southward, staggered from the bridge when the boat landed a hollow-eyed specter, for the President fought every inch of her southward voyage. Some of her doors were smashed by gales, and she had a hard time of it all the way. At that, the wireless communication of the boat, kept her in touch with land for the trip. Tomorrow morning she leaves for San Francisco.

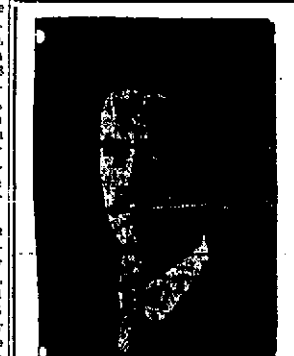
The President brought \$1,000,000 in gold and 669 passengers. Mrs. John McNaught, wife of the San Francisco newspaper man, fell in Nome and severely injured herself, but she walked ashore from the President without aid.

MILWAUKEE, Oct. 23.—About fifty delegates are attending the special convention of the International Commercial Telegraphers' Union, which began this afternoon. Former President Small was absent. He designated the convention as irregular, but says he will attend one in June next. Mr. Small says that in calling this convention the union putting the power in the hands of two men—Percy Thomas and Daniel L. Russell, New York—who have 2600 votes.



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